

THE WEATHER
Rain turning to snow
tonight; snow Sun-
day; much colder

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WASHINGTON STIRRED BY MENTION OF THE NAMES OF SPEAKER "JOE" CANNON AND JOHN SHARP WILLIAMS

COMMITTEE WILL PROBE TO BOTTOM

HOWEVER LILLEY IS NOT GIVEN
FREE HAND

HE CANNOT CROSS-EXAMINE

Attorneys Leave Because Under Re-
strictions They Say They Can do
Little Good

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 14.—
There to be no letup in the in-
vestigation of the methods adopted by
the Electric Boat company in its
dealings with congress and congress-
men. The testimony of Representa-
tive Hobson, which involved Speaker
Cannon and Minority Leader John
Sharp Williams, has aroused the
investigating committee as has nothing
that preceded it.

The probe is to be sunk as deep as
the committee can sink it and de-
velopments and disclosures are expect-
ed.

Order Twenty-five Subpoenaed.

The investigating committee who
authorized the issuance of subpoen-
as for about twenty-five persons
whose names have appeared in con-
nection with the investigation.
Among these are the officers of the
boat company, whom Representative
Lilley asked to have brought before
the committee, together with the
books of the concern. Mr. Lilley
charged that these books would dis-
close the fact that contributions had
been made by the company to the
campaign expenses of members of
congress whom the company desired
to see returned to congress.

Committee Wants Books.

The committee will take the nec-
essary steps to get these books. It
will meet Monday to take the testi-
mony of those who may be in Wash-
ington at that time and desire to
appear.

The disclosures made by Repre-
sentative Hobson are the chief sub-
ject of gossip about the capitol.
Speaker Cannon would not discuss
the matter and Minority Leader Wil-
liams also maintained silence.

Cannon, however, is accurately de-
scribed as the maddest man in Wash-
ington.

Muzzle Is Applied.

It has been learned that Frank T.
Brown and Stiles Judson, the Con-
necticut attorneys engaged by Mr.
Lilley and who appeared with him

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MRS. McNAUGHTON GETS \$5,000 VERDICT

Judge Fruit awarded \$5,000 to
Mrs. Sara Vera McNaughton of
Whitehall in her case against the
Des Moines Life Insurance company,
in which they refused to grant the
amount because they said his state-
ments when reinstated were false.

BANDITS PENNED IN

COFFEYVILLE, Kan., March 14.
Virtually hemmed in by posses of
armed men, but riding desperately to
reach the Osage hills near Bartles-
ville, Okla., three bandits who com-
mitted a bold daylight holdup of a
bank at Tyro, this county, are mak-
ing what is believed to be a hopeless
effort to escape capture.

There is little doubt that they will
be intercepted before they reach the
Cane river, north of Bartlesville,
and a fierce battle is anticipated.

A special train carrying 100 armed
men started after the posse which
left Tyro a mile behind the bandits,
and other bodies are bearing down
on the robbers from all sides.

There were three men in the gang
that held up the bank. One man
stayed outside as a guard and the
other two entered the bank.

There they found three employees
at work, but the two robbers covered
them with their revolvers and or-
dered "hands up" and the three com-
plied.

CAN PAY DIVIDENDS

NORWICH, N. Y., March 14.—The
last obstacle to the Delaware & Hud-
son Railway company paying its re-
cently declared dividend was elimi-
nated when Federal Judge Ray this
afternoon vacated the temporary in-
junction issued by him last Wednes-
day, restraining the directors from
paying the money to the stockhold-
ers of record.

PERMIT FOR BIG BOND ISSUE.

MADISON, Wis., March 14.—Em-
anuel L. Philipp of Milwaukee, presi-
dent of the Union Refrigerator
Transit company, was granted yester-
day by the state railroad commis-
sion a certificate of authority to is-
sue bonds in the sum of \$480,000.



GEORGE L. LILLEY OF CONNECTICUT

GAS ROUTE TRIED BY GIRL CHUMS

GAY NEW YORK A BARREN
DESSERT TO THEM

HELEN BAXTER TELLS STORY

Four School Girls Came to Metropolis
to Get Rich, But Sought
Death's Release

NEW YORK, March 14.—Helen
Baxter, 17, attempted asphyxiation
in her room of a boarding house to-
day. She explained that she wanted
to die like four of her school girl
friends, and added: "They all said it
is the easiest way." She came to New
York with her girl comrades to make
a fortune, but they found it harder
than they expected, and began kill-
ing themselves. Only Helen and an-
other are left, the latter being mar-
ried. Helen recently lost her posi-
tion and determined to die.

MAYOR ASKS THAT SIDEWALK DISPLAY OF FOODS BE STOPPED

In a communication from Mayor
Anderson which was read last even-
ing, his honor suggested that the
sidewalk display of fruit, groceries
and other provisions in front of the
stores be prohibited as unsanitary.
The matter was referred to the
health committee.

The communication of the mayor
follows: "During the summer of 1907 I
interviewed a large number of grocery
merchants in the downtown district
to obtain their views as to the nec-
essity of the display and exposure of
the various kinds of fruit, berries,
vegetables, groceries, etc., in the
open air, in front of their places of
business on the sidewalk.

"Of the number interviewed, with
one exception, all were of the opin-
ion that there was no real necessity
for this exposure, and not only fully
agreed that it was highly objection-
able from a sanitary standpoint, but
expressed a willingness to discon-
tinue the practice, provided some
arrangement was made whereby all
others would do so.

Attention is called to the subject
now, before the warm weather sets
in, for the purpose of having this
communication referred to the board
of health, with the request to pre-
pare and submit to the council an or-
dinance which will hereafter prevent,
in the interests of health and clean-
liness, the exposure of food stuffs
of all kinds to the dust and dirt of
the open air on the sidewalks.

"WENDELL A. ANDERSON,
Mayor."

JOHNSON BOOM SELF

ST. PAUL, Min., March 14.—Gov.
Johnson admits that what might be
called headquarters for his entry into
the presidential race would be open-
ed in the east. He said that the pre-
sent month might show whether he
would go into the contest; yet de-
velopments next month might blow
the whole matter into the air.

Frank A. Day, the governor's pri-
vate secretary, is in the east looking
after the governor's fences, and will
attend to the details of opening
headquarters in Chicago, New York
and Washington.

HOPES FUNDS WILL BE EASILY RAISED

CONGRESSMAN ESCH WRITES TO
SECRETARY UERMUEHL

FOR THE CITY'S REPUTATION

Representative Believes La Crosse
Should Take the Proper Care of
the Big Saengerfest

Secretary John Uermuehl of the
Saengerfest association is in receipt
of the following letter from Con-
gressman Esch: "I beg leave to acknowl-
edge receipt of No. 4 of the Fest-Zeitung,
and have taken pleasure in reading
the same. I also noticed your appeal
for subscriptions to the guarantee
fund from our citizens, such fund
being all the more necessary in view
of the fact that no auditorium is to
be provided by the city of La Crosse.
I herewith authorize you to subscribe
in my name \$25 for such fund. For
the sake of our city's reputation I
sincerely hope that the fund you need
will be fully subscribed and that the
Saengerfest will be among the most
successful ever held. This is my wish
and expectation.

"JOHN J. ESCH."

LICENSE GRANTED TO HOTEL LAW

John F. Walsch of Rockford, Ill.,
new proprietor of the Hotel Law,
last evening was granted a license
for the installation of a saloon in
connection with the hotel.

Wanted Employment Bureau.
A request of J. B. McCaleb for a
license for the operation of an em-
ployment bureau in the city was laid
on the table, the aldermen believing
the bureau might be detrimental to
the city.

A license was granted for a saloon
at 1029 South Fourth street to Joseph
Beutler.

JAPANESE MINISTRY DEFEATED AT POLLS

TOKIO, March 14.—The general
election returns indicate that the
overthrow of the present ministry is
practically certain. Marquis Katsura
is likely to be the next premier.
There is much speculation as to For-
eign Minister Hayashi's successor,
but that Ambassador Komura, now
in England, will be chosen, is the
majority guess.

NO PIT INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Sec-
retary Strauss of the department of
commerce and labor has issued a bul-
letin assuring the various stock ex-
changes of the country that the presi-
dential investigation of their operations
looking to a correction of abuses and
possible drastic enforcement of laws.
Then a great sigh of relief went out
over the leased wires of all stock ex-
changes.

ADMIRAL KANE DEAD.

NEW YORK, March 14.—Rear Ad-
miral Theodore F. Kane, U. S. N.,
retired, died of heart disease sudden-
ly in the Park Avenue hotel today.
He was found dead in his room. The
navy department has been notified.

INSPECTOR MARTIN RESIGNS POSITION

NEW UTILITIES LAW INTERFER-
ED WITH HIS DUTIES

MAKES REPORT OF HIS WORK

Has Inspected All of the Large Es-
tablishments and Viewed the
Various Wires of the City

City Electrical Inspector R. C.
Martin who has been busy at the
city hall for the past few months
creating a systematic electrical in-
spection department, last evening
tendered his resignation to the com-
mon council, on account of the fact
that the recent utilities bill had ren-
dered void many of the duties of the
inspector.

Inspector Martin has been em-
ployed here for the past 10 months
and rendered a detailed report of the
extent of his work during that time.
His report contained in the main the
fact that he had examined the thea-
tres, schools, telephones, telegraph
and electric wires outside to see that
they did not conflict with the fire
department wires, and that he had
also inspected the inside wiring in
all the large establishments in the
city, recommending improvements
where necessary.

It was moved that his resignation
be accepted.

Standard Equipment.
An ordinance was read regarding
the laying and maintaining of rails
by the street railway company on
paved streets certain regulations be-
ing set forth as to the quality of the
rails, their height and width, and
connections between the rails. It
was set forth that rails which did not
comply with the ordinance should be
replaced.

Buy Sprinkler Hydrants.

Board of public works applied for
the purchase of fifteen sprinkling
wells at \$30 each, along with the
standpipes. The hydrants will be
sunk in the boulevards so that
they will not mar the appearance of
the street.

Sewer was asked for between King
and Cass streets on Eleventh. No
watering trough will be located at
State and Front but two new ones
are to be constructed at a cost not
to exceed \$100 on State between
Third and Fourth, and at King be-
tween Fourth and Fifth. They are
to be made of boiler heads in sheet
metal style so that they will be per-
manent.

The Milwaukee road was given the
privilege of using the streets and
crossing for the Listman mill track.

Bill Nine Years Old.

Alderman Volmar read notice to
the effect that a bill which had been
hanging fire for the past nine years
in favor of J. H. Martin be paid. It
was referred to the judiciary com-
mittee and city attorney.

THE HARRISBURG CAPITOL BOODLERS ARE FOUND GUILTY

HARRISBURG, Pa., March 14.—
"Guilty" as to all defendants was the
verdict rendered last night in the so-
called capitol graft case.

John H. Sanderson, furniture
dealer and contractor; W. P. Snyder,
former auditor general; W. L. Math-
ews, former state treasurer, and Jas.
H. Shumaker, former superintendent
of buildings and grounds, were con-
victed and must serve prison terms
for conspiracy to defraud and for de-
frauding the state out of millions.

The jury was out only a few hours.
The boodle in the erection and fur-
nishing of the new state capitol ran
into millions. Work that has since
been estimated as worth \$800,000
cost the state nearly \$5,000,000.

The rankest kind of grafting was
in the furnishings. Furniture was
sold to the state at so much a lineal
foot. One settee worth \$50 was sold
at \$18 a foot for twenty-one feet,
making it cost the state \$378. It ac-
tually measured only six feet.

Papier mache and plaster of paris
statuary and trimmings were sold to
the state for binnings.

WOMEN NURSES FOR THE NAVY—RIXEY

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Sur-
geon General Rixey in a statement to
Secretary of the Navy Metcalf al-
leges that there is "much preventable
suffering" in the navy, and that
"many deaths might be prevented."
Metcalf will urge congress to pass a
bill authorizing the establishment of
a corps of women nurses. Rixey says
there is a deficiency of half a hun-
dred men nurses, and a large major-
ity of these being untrained, causes
gravest concern for the care of the
sailors.

CHINA TO PAY DAMAGES

PEKIN, March 14.—It has prac-
tically been decided that China will
release the Tatsu and reimburse the
shippers for the value of the cargo,
besides paying the demurrage charg-
es for the time the vessel has been
held. The total expense probably
will be about \$12,000.

Woman is For a Women's Theater



DES MOINES, Ia., March 14.—A
woman's theater, wherein perfor-
mances will be given exclusively for
the entertainment of the feminine
sex, will be a novel feature in Des
Moines if the plans of Miss Lillian
H. Matthews of this city are car-
ried to a successful culmination.

Miss Matthews has charge of the
associated charities work and is
special officer of the juvenile court.
She believes a theater should be
maintained for girls with perform-
ances such as will give them a right
idea of life. She has interested
some prominent and wealthy men in
the philanthropic movement, and
there is a strong possibility of her
plans maturing in the near future.

"Much of the incorrigibility in our
girls," says Miss Matthews, "is due
to the conception of life they get by
visiting some of the theaters in the
city where weird melodrama and dis-
tasteful burlesque is the feature.
There should be a theater for girls
alone, where the admission would be
so reasonable they would go there in
preference to the other theaters.
Such plays should be presented as
would reflect the better sentiments
of life, and be clean and moral. The
stage generally, especially in the so-
called popular priced theaters, is
badly demoralized and does not fur-
nish the best education for the minds
of young girls."

GRANDSON OF LATE MARK HANNA WEDS

JOINED TO MISS ADELE PRATT IN
JUSTICE SHOP

THE GIRL ENGAGED TO M. D.

Was to Have Married Renowned Sur-
geon but May Have Been Re-
leased by Him

NEW YORK, March 14.—Marcus
A. Hanna, a grandson of the late
Senator Marcus Hanna, with his
bride, who was formerly Miss Adele
Pratt of Elmira, arrived today after
their marriage last night at Bridge-
port, Conn., by a justice. They will
spend their honeymoon with Hanna's
mother.

Surprise in Elmira

ELMIRA, N. Y., March 14.—The
Pratt-Hanna marriage is a surprise
here. The girl was engaged to Dr.
Arthur W. Booth, a leading surgeon,
who is her senior, and who has court-
ed her since she was a child. The
announcement was made last fall,
and Booth had his home ready. But
several months ago Booth went to
California for his health, and it is
supposed he released the girl, fearing
for his future health.

SEVEN KILLED IN PRISON.

OREL, Russia, March 14.—An at-
tempt by five criminals under sen-
tence of death to escape from jail
here yesterday resulted in the loss
of seven lives. The prisoners attacked
the jail wardens and succeeded in
disarming them. Then they opened
fire on the prison guards with the
wardens' rifles. The guards returned
the fire and shot the five prisoners
to death. Two of the wardens were
killed and one was wounded.

JOBS, OR BOMBS

DENVER, Col., March 14.—Gov.
Buchtel has received an anonymous
letter in which the writer threatened
to destroy the federal building and
the city hall unless something is done
to relieve the condition of the unem-
ployed in Denver within the next for-
ty-eight hours.

The letter was signed "A Repub-
lican who has voted under the lash of
the master."

PLEASANT PARTY

A very pleasant party was held at
the home of B. Brewer, 413 Avon-
street, Thursday evening. The even-
ing was spent in different forms of
amusement and refreshments were
served.

Those present were Jessie Cook,
Esther Cook, Kate Webster, Mrs. M.
James, John Kerrigan, B. Brewer and
B. McClinton.

PART OF RECORD IN L. GILBERTSON CASE FADES AWAY MYSTERIOUSLY

DOCUMENT OF VITAL IMPORT-
ANCE IS GONE NOW

WAS BASIS OF PROSECUTION

LOSS OF ALLEGED CONFLICTING
ANSWER MAY BE FATAL

ANOTHER OFFENSE FOUND

Attorneys Think Grand Jury May In-
dict on Grounds Not Af-
fected by Loss

MADISON, Wis., March 14.—(Spe-
cial.)—Because an important docu-
ment is missing from the court re-
cords, Louis Gilbertson, of La Crosse,
whose case involving alleged fraud-
ulent disposal of the funds of a sale
made just prior to bankruptcy, has
been the subject of criminal proceed-
ings for a long time, may evade in-
dictment by the present federal
grand jury.

The missing document is of vital
importance. It is Gilbertson's sworn
answer in the contempt proceedings
originally started to make him dis-
gorge to his creditors. In it he
swore that he had no funds, but
since then, according to testimony
that has been adduced, it was discov-
ered that almost contemporaneously
with that oath Gilbertson was depos-
iting several thousand dollars in Chi-
cago banks.

The answer in question is not only
the statement of Gilbertson conflict-
ing with the alleged facts, but its val-
ue lies in the fact that it is the only
one that hasn't been rendered incom-
petent by reason of the expiration of
the time fixed by the statute of lim-
itations.

The story is that this answer was
in the records in the possession of
Referee in Bankruptcy Cameron
Baldwin of La Crosse, some weeks
ago, but that when he transferred
the record from his court to that of
Judge Sanborn in this city about a
fortnight ago, the Gilbertson answer,
which is the most vital thing in the
record, was missing. Officials of the
court and lawyers in the case have
formed no theory as to the solution
of the mystery.

It is not certain that Gilbertson
will escape, however, as the grand
jury is said to have been considering
another charge growing out of the
case, on which he may be indicted
without the recovery of the lost an-
swer. The jury will report Tuesday.
Attorney Charles Schweizer of this
city, who represents some of the
claimants in the Gilbertson case,
when called over the telephone today
declined to discuss the story further
than to admit that it is true that the
record is minus the most important
document it contained.

WEATHER FORECAST



Coldest, 34; warmest, 42; wind, 6
miles; precipitation, 0.

Extremes: Los Angeles, 84; Win-
nipeg, 20 below.

Forecasts today:
Wisconsin—Showers tonight, turn-
ing to snow Sunday; much colder.

Minnesota—Snow tonight and pos-
sibly Sunday; colder; cold wave in
south and west portions.

Iowa—Partly cloudy and possibly
threatening tonight and Sunday;
much colder.

Weather Conditions

The depression in the northwest
yesterday morning has spread rapid-
ly eastward to the upper Mississippi
valley and upper lake regions and
has caused rain or snow from the
north Pacific coast to Michigan and
higher temperature throughout the
Mississippi valley and plains states.

The pressure is highest from the
lower lakes to the south Atlantic
states and on the central Pacific

The Farmer's Wife

Is very careful about her churn. She scalds it thoroughly after using, and gives it a sun bath to sweeten it. She knows that if her churn is sour it will taint the butter that is made in it. The stomach is a churn. In the stomach and digestive and nutritive tracts are performed processes which are almost exactly like the churning of butter. Is it not apparent then that if this stomach-churn is foul it makes foul all which is put into it?

The evil of a foul stomach is not alone the bad taste in the mouth and the foul breath caused by it, but the corruption of the pure current of blood and the dissemination of disease throughout the body. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes the sour and foul stomach sweet. It does for the stomach what the washing and sun bath do for the churn—absolutely removes every taint or corrupting element. In this way it cures blotches, pimples, eruptions, scrofulous swellings, sores, or open eating ulcers and all humors or diseases arising from bad blood.

If you have bitter, nasty, foul taste in your mouth, coated tongue, foul breath, are weak and easily tired, feel depressed and despondent, have frequent headaches, dizzy attacks, gnawing or distress in stomach, constipated or irregular bowels, sour or bitter risings after eating and poor appetite, these symptoms, or any considerable number of them, indicate that you are suffering from biliousness, torpid or lazy liver with the usual accompanying indigestion, or dyspepsia and their attendant derangements.

The best agents known to medical science for the cure of the above symptoms and conditions, as indicated by the various kinds of leading physicians and practitioners of all the several schools of medical practice, have been, through the harmonious cooperation of Dr. E. W. Pierce, Medical Discoverer, that this is absolutely true will be readily proven to your satisfaction if you will but mail a postal card request to Dr. E. W. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., for a free copy of his booklet of extracts from the standard medical authorities, giving the names of all the ingredients entering into his world-famed medicines and showing what the most eminent medical men of the age say of them.

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COME QUICK!

- 1 Chickering Square Piano, in fine condition, only \$50
- 1 Square Piano \$35
- 1 Square Piano \$25
- 1 Square Piano \$15
- 1 Upright Ebony case, \$250 Piano, now only \$100
- 1 Hamilton Upright, walnut case, slightly used, at \$175
- 1 Piano Player, in good condition, slightly used, at \$50

ORGANS AT \$10 TO \$35

Any of these bargains will be sold for cash or on easy payments.

FRED LEITHOLD

325 MAIN ST.

HANS WAGNER TO RETIRE

PITTSBURG, March 14.—Hans Wagner gave local fandom a jolt by announcing that he would not wear a private uniform this season. There has been no trouble between President Dreyfuss and Wagner. Hans is not holding out for more money. He simply says he wants to get out of the game and will not play. Capt. Clarke says he will try to persuade Wagner to get in line, but has little hope of succeeding.

Wagner says when the season opens he will be found superintending his fine chicken farm near Carnegie. Wagner is worth more than \$60,000 and has been anxious to quit playing ever since last season. Wagner declares his mind is made up and cannot be changed.

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STATE LEAGUE TO INVADE MILWAUKEE

THAT'S WHAT OPTION OF ALTERING SCHEDULE MEANS

WHEN BREWERS ARE AWAY

Freeport Management Announces Pre-season Schedule and Personnel of the Team

The Wisconsin-Illinois league will invade Milwaukee this season.

This was provided for when the directors at their Milwaukee meeting passed a resolution allowing a change in the schedule upon approval of the applications by President Moll.

President Moll brought up the subject of games in Milwaukee, and while no action was taken on this arrangement directly, it was understood that games should be played there while the American association team was away, and this will be done as convenience and expedience warrants.

Freeport Schedule

Freeport announces the following schedule of pre-season games:

Freeport at Beloit—April 14, 15 and 16.

Clinton at Freeport—April 18, 19 and 20.

Brandon, Canada, at Freeport—April 21, 22 and 23.

Dubuque at Freeport—April 24, 25 and 26.

Duluth at Freeport—May 1, 2, 3.

Winnipeg at Freeport—May 4, 5.

The personnel of the Freeport team is as follows:

Pitchers—Scott, Darrah, Barry, Limoges and Ducker.

Catchers—Stark, Delaney, Lemmon and Forsythe.

First base—Barlow.

Second base—Schoonhoven.

Third base—Harrod.

Short stop—Fiske.

Outfielders—Driscoll, Ditch, Ireland, Overacre, Frain, Locke and McNellis.

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PLAY CHESS BY CABLE.

NEW YORK, March 14.—Play will begin simultaneously by cable today and continue through Saturday in Brooklyn and London in the tenth chess match for the Sir George Newnes trophy. The American players are: J. F. Barry, Boston; A. W. Box, Washington; H. Helms and A. B. Hodges, New York; C. S. Howell, London; M. M. Morgan, S. L. Stadelman, and H. G. Voigt, Philadelphia; and C. H. Wolbrecht, St. Louis.

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THE ERRATIC RUBE WADELL A TWIRLER



"RUBE" WADELL.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., March 14.—Manager John Kelly of the local Atlantic league team has received a letter from "Rube" Waddell, the former athletic club's twirler. Waddell asked for terms. Kelly grew acquainted with "Rube" while umpiring in the American association. He says Waddell is a queer one, but he will take a chance of handling him if he comes here. Kelly will forward the pitcher a contract, offering him a salary of \$200 a month and board. In his letter Waddell objected strenuously to Connie Mack selling him to St. Louis.

Waddell was born at Bradford, Pa., on October 13, 1876. His success as an amateur southpaw at Harmony, Pa., led to his engagement with the Oil City (Pa.) team in 1896.

He pitched for the Volant college team in 1897 and joined the Louisville club about the middle of August of that season. He was with Detroit and Homestead in 1898, Columbus and Louisville in 1899, Pittsburgh and Milwaukee in 1900, Chicago Nationals and Los Angeles in 1901, Los Angeles and the Athletics in 1902. He has been an asset of the Philadelphia club from 1902 until his purchase by President Hedges for close to \$6000.

He has to his credit some of the most marvelous pitching feats in the history of the game, but is erratic in his disposition and difficult to control. Dissipation has depreciated his pitching ability, but he is still a star with several seasons of high-class twirling in his mighty left, if he takes ordinary care of himself.

HAS SHE PROPOSED?

SPORT BRIEFS.

The Chicago Cubs arrived at Vicksburg, Tenn., and will open their series of games tomorrow.

The White Sox now located at San Francisco will leave tonight for their new quarters at New Orleans.

The White Sox No. 2 were handed another lemon by the Portland team when they were whitewashed in Friday's game. The score was 8 to 9.

University of Illinois defeated the Minnesota five Thursday by the score of 23 to 20 at basketball.

It was necessary for the Philadelphia Athletics to go twelve innings before they were able to win from New Orleans Thursday. Score 3-2.

Atlanta, Ga., took New York into two yesterday winning an uninteresting game 5 to 3.

The Boston Nationals have left Boston for their spring training at Augusta, Ga.

The Midway baseball candidates have taken to the fields at Chicago.

Deadlock still reigns in the Three I session at Chicago.

COLDS CAUSE HEADACHE

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1908 SCHEDULE OF THE WISCONSIN-ILLINOIS BASEBALL LEAGUE

	At La Crosse.	At Wausau.	At Green Bay.	At Oshkosh.	At Fond du Lac.	At Rockford.	At Freeport.	At Madison.
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AUTOS STRIKE SLIPPERY TRAIL

CHEYENNE, Wyo., March 14.—The Thomas, leader in the automobile race from New York to Paris, was reported Thursday night at Granger, Wyo. The team will try to reach Ogden today. The Wasatch Mountains, over which the route lies, are covered with snow. The Italian Zusi checked in at this point at 12:45 this afternoon and will remain here until tomorrow.

The French De Dion passed Dunlap, Iowa, at 12:45 p. m. Dunlap is forty miles east of Omaha. Godard and the French Motobloc was sighted at noon at Clinton, Iowa. The German Protos reached Marshalltown, Iowa, at 5:45 and put up for the night.

LARGE AUDIENCE HEARS LECTURE

The attendance of between two and three hundred people at the lecture on "Our Philippine Cousins," given at the English Lutheran church Thursday evening, seems to show that the interest in these instructive and entertaining lectures does not decrease, but rather increase. There will be given only one more of this series of lectures on Travels Around the World—this season, "The Malay Peninsula and Borneo."

HORSE RACING POPULAR IN CUBA

HAVANA, Cuba, March 14.—Horse racing in Cuba received official sanction from Governor Magoon when he declared a half holiday to celebrate the opening of the mile track at Almendares station, near Camp Columbia. The governor sat in the presidential box and a large array of army officials and Cuban officers attended.

The meeting is under the auspices of the Cuban Racing association and is scheduled for sixteen days. Six races were run, American horses winning them all.

will be the subject of the last lecture, to be given Thursday evening, March 26th.

Next Sunday evening Rev. J. J. Clemens will deliver the last of a series of discourses on "Visits to the Region of the Early Christian Churches," which he has been delivering in his church on Sunday evenings. Having visited the most important places in Asia Minor and the district extending to Damascus, he will take his audience, Sunday evening, with him "From Jerusalem to Rome." Among the places which will be visited will be Cyprus, Rhodes, Patmos, Chios or Scio, Mytilene, Salonica or Thessalonica, Philippi, Athens, Corinth and Rome. Some of the hymns sung at these services are illustrated by beautiful colored stereoscopic views. Everybody will be welcome to these services only an offering is taken.

Because a man is concerned it doesn't prove that he is square.

It is easier to make a new promise than to mend a broken one.

Whenever a farmer comes to town driving a mule to a buggy, he feels the way a woman does when she is caught in an old wrapper, with her curl papers up. Like apologizing for her appearance.

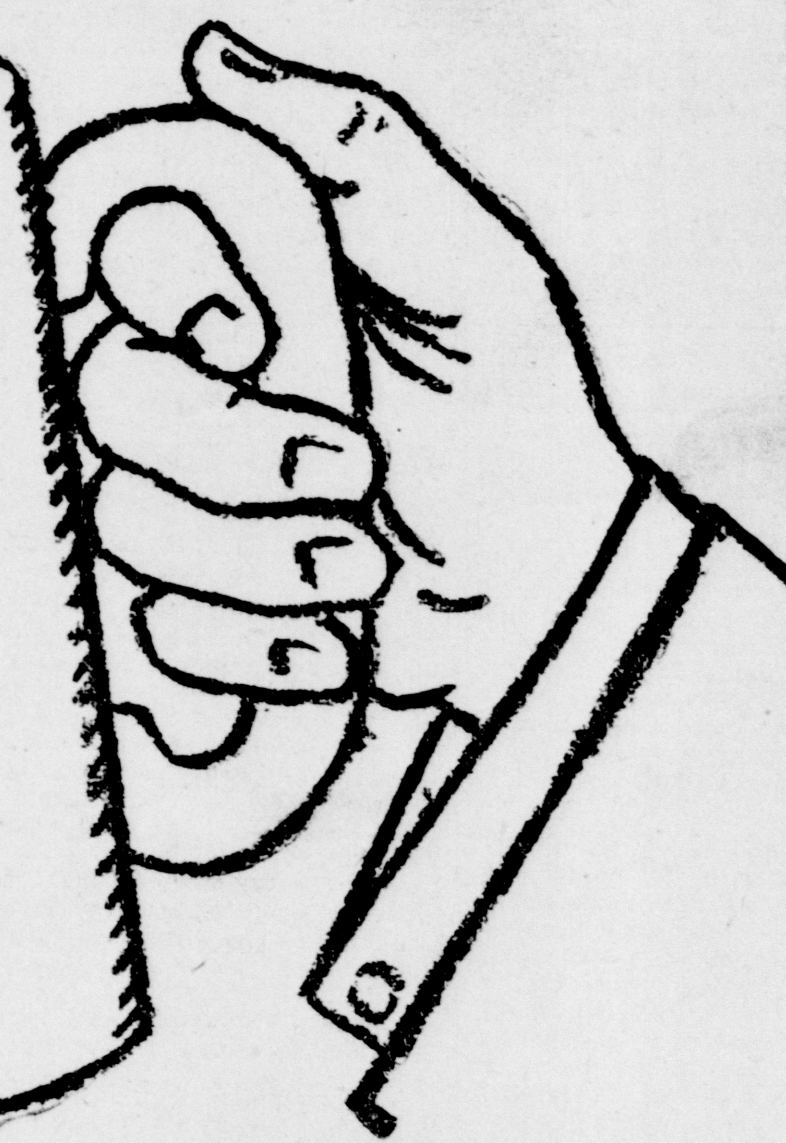
No man can think well of himself who does not think well of others.

REV. MOLLER ON CHRISTIAN UNITY

On next Sunday evening Rev. C. N. Moller will preach on the subject of Christian Unity. It is a subject that is most prominently before the Christian world today. The Episcopal church has been leading in this great movement and will continue to work and pray to accomplish this great end, i. e., the unity of Christianity. In Sunday evening the leaflet service will be used to enable stangers to follow the service without difficulty. Next Wednesday evening the Rev. Philip K. Edwards of Rushford will preach and the regular choir will sing.

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Put steins on ice. Have a few bottles of Heileman's Old Style Lager at the proper temperature. Fix up a Dutch lunch, cheese, rye bread sandwiches etc. Serve together. Today is the time to try



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3-Mon	6,320	17-Mon	6,300
4-Tues	6,370	18-Tues	6,300
5-Wed	6,320	19-Wed	6,300
6-Thurs	6,320	20-Thurs	6,320
7-Fri	6,320	21-Fri	6,310
8-Sat	6,310	22-Sat	6,300
9-Sunday		23-Sunday	
10-Mon	6,320	24-Mon	6,310
11-Tues	6,325	25-Tues	6,300
12-Wed	6,300	26-Wed	6,300
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I, Frank H. Burgess, business manager of the La Crosse Tribune, do solemnly swear that the actual number of copies of the paper named, printed and circulated during the month of February, 1908, was as above stated.

FRANK H. BURGESS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this twenty-ninth day of February, 1908.

A. E. BLEEKMAN,

Notary Public.

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THE LOGICAL PROGRAM.

There is a tendency on the part of a malicious and harmless because understood individual to attack anything which Mayor Anderson may do. That "party" has of late taken the liberty of making the dictatorial suggestion that it is about time for the mayor to do something to afford safety at the Mill street crossing.

The attitude of the mayor toward this crossing matter will bear close inspection. Its dangers have increased measurably of late years, due to the increase in traffic over it. It was one of his earliest official acts to take up the danger there with the railroad company. He received little satisfaction, the reply of the company being in import a defiance of the local authorities.

There was presented the difficulty of a dual responsibility; both the railroad company and the street car company being involved, and the initial step of the mayor had been to consult the authorities as to the one of these two upon which it seemed more legal and proper to fix the burden of safeguarding the place. Had both been held, or attempted to be held, there would always be the conflicting problem of respective blame in each particular case. It was found that the weight of responsibility, commensurate with the weight of hazard and the proportion of profit as compared with investment, indicated that the railroad company should be made to bear this expense, and to this end the efforts of the administration were aimed.

At this time there arose a question, concerning which authorities conflicted, as to the jurisdiction of the state railroad commission in the matter. Accordingly the mayor caused the case to be put up to the commis-

sion. It decided that it had not jurisdiction.

To any one observant of public events, it had become patent that the mayor had outlined a policy the termination of which was to be the protection of this crossing. Ergo, the "individual" in question hastened to anticipate the action everyone confidently expected at the next ensuing council meeting, by demanding that what he knew the mayor would do, be done.

Last night, in a communication to the council, the logical and expected step was taken when the mayor in a communication advised the council of the necessity of efficient action.

And the gentleman who hastens to make corrections according to the tenor of the libel law, sat in the rear of the council chamber to see his "mandate" executed. Now, he fondly imagines, there are people silly enough to take (common) stock in his bluff. Isn't it impertinent, coming so near the anniversary of his exposure as a producer of "original" thought in editorial form?

A CHECK ON TAFT

A Washington dispatch says that while the contest is raging over the selection of delegates to the republican national convention and politicians are warring over whether the Chicago gathering is to be Taft or anti-Taft, the high tariff forces are busy with plans to control the convention along other lines. They are much concerned over the platform, with especial regard to the tariff plank and they are not waiting until the convention assemblies to see that that plank is to their liking.

One of the good signs is that it has been an extremely difficult matter to hold down the tariff revisionists in congress this winter. They have been more assertive than usual and Representatives Payne and Dazell, who are, with Speaker Cannon, the main reliance of the opponents of revision, have had hard work to repress them. A vigorous tariff revision plank in the republican platform would have much weight when the revision of the tariff came before congress. On the other hand, a plank not favorable to revision or one susceptible of double construction would probably lead to revision of an extremely moderate kind by congress.

Recognizing the importance of the tariff plank in the platform, the high tariff forces are watching closely the selection of delegates and they are putting many men on the delegations who are not minded to disturb the schedules to any extent. This is an easy thing in the states that are anti-Taft, as a rule. It is not so easy in Taft states for the reason that most of the men who are insistent on going as delegates for Taft incline to revision. But in some of the states where the delegation is conceded to Taft and there is no particular contest high tariff men are being quietly put on the delegations and their influence will be felt when it comes to selecting the resolutions committee and fashioning the platform.

Taft's strength is developing so rapidly that his nomination is conceded in many quarters not really friendly to him. But the high tariff forces feel that if Taft is to run they want to make his platform such as to hold him in check on the matter of revision, and afford congress excuse for going as slowly as possible. It is to be hoped that Mr. Taft will have the backbone to refuse to deviate from his fixed purpose to revise the tariff.

A Blessing, Not a Blow

"Here's a good one," said the telegraph operator. "A dear old Methodist preacher came in yesterday and sent this telegram to a conference that had assigned him to a charge, 'Acts twenty-three-two.' He explained that the citation was, 'And now, brethren, I commend you to God.' 'Well, the careless operator at the other end handed the message to the conference so that it read, 'Acts twenty-three, two. That text, the bewildered conference found on reference to its Bible, reads: 'And the high priest Ananias commanded them ho stood by to smite him on the mouth.'"

SPOTLIGHTS

At the Lyric.

The program at the Lyric this week is one of unusual strength and attractiveness. All of the pictures are most interesting and the interest of the audience never wanes. The feature picture which is being put on this week is "Rescued from an Eagle's Nest," and is portrayed in such a startlingly realistic manner that on Thursday evening some of the audience were moved to tears. This is one of the most effective pictures that has ever been shown at the Lyric theater. The management is gratified to see the attendance steadily increasing and it could not well do otherwise with so excellent a program as is put on twice a week. All new films, as soon as they are put on the market will be secured by the management of this up-to-date moving picture theater.

FASHION HINTS

By MAY MANTON



5928 Tucked Negligee, \$4 to 42 bust.

TO BE MADE WITH OREN OR PLAIN SLEEVES.

Such a pretty, graceful yet simple negligee as this one is certain to be liked. It can be made from cashmere, as in this instance, from albatross or any similar material, from pretty, soft or from the slightly heavier Scotch and French flannels. It is eminently attractive and dainty yet it is by no means difficult to make. The sleeves can be open at the outer edges, as illustrated, or left plain as liked, and in place of the scalloped edge any little banding or simple finish can be used, which will lessen the labor although the scallops are very charming and are much in vogue. Both plain colors and figured materials are used for the purpose and there are a whole host of pretty washable fabrics that are to be commended just now. Voile in its many variations is a favorite, muslins were never lovelier and the still simpler inexpensive printed wash fabrics are exceptionally attractive in design.

The negligee is made with the tucked front and back and with the yoke and sleeve portions that are cut in one. It is fitted by means of under-arm seams and can be closed invisibly as illustrated or with little ties of ribbon as liked.

The quantity of material required for the medium size is 4 yards 24, 3 1/4 yards 32 or 2 yards 44 inches wide. The pattern 5928 is cut in sizes for a 34, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inch bust measure and will be mailed to any address by the Fashion Department of this paper on receipt of ten cents. (If in haste send an additional two-cent stamp for letter postage, which insures more prompt delivery.)

OBJECT TO MAGAZINE ANGELS

(Boston Transcript.)

People who have been noting the lurid covers of our magazines for the last year must have been struck by the melodramatic appearance of the angels depicted thereon. Our most dignified monthlies have been lying about recklessly, not only in the primary colors, but in new and weird maroons, azures, jade-green, and impassioned vermilion for their seraphim—(with and without the flaming sword.)

Now if, as Mr. Howells asserts, art is the perfection of reason, certainly our up-to-date divinities cannot be called artistic, with their garish coloring, prodigious wings and rather cylindrical physical development. Down deep in our primitive souls we feel that, while they may be triumphs of art, as angels, they are not convincing. We recall, with a fellow-feeling, Josiah Allen's comment, on reading his own obituary (thoughtfully prepared for his perusal by his good spouse), that he'd rather not die. It looks as though, no matter what may be our preconceived ideas as to the salient angel-characteristics, such as golden locks, and robes of shimmering whiteness—the best angels are not really like that at all. They never really look that way, or dress that way. Moreover, how is it that only those angels richly endowed with flowing, pre-Raphaelite tresses are ever selected for public appearance?

Your Very Own.

There's one thing that seems to me funny. When the state of a bank becomes runny. You're supposed to go back And sit down. It's a fact They get mad if you ask for your money.

—Lippincott's.

The dyspeptic who insists upon eating sausage is his own worst enemy.

MRS. FRANK STROEBE

I was a nervous wreck.

I felt no desire to live.



REMARKABLE RECOVERY, THANKS TO PE-RU-NA.

Mrs. Frank Stroebe, R. F. D. 1, Appleton, Wis., writes:

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This lady entirely recovered from a nervous breakdown. She did not go away to a sanitarium, and spend hundreds of dollars for a cure. She just staid at home, took Peruna, and in four months weighed more than ever in her life, had a splendid color, life looked bright to her. Peruna did all this for her. What more could be expected of any remedy?

Man-a-lin the Ideal Laxative.

A Vindication

By Wallace Brown.

To take the oath of office, don the blue uniform and glistening shield and march proudly out on your beat don't constitute the final steps in the making of a good policeman. After all these preliminaries have been observed, the new policeman must then vindicate his rights to authority, else he might as well remain an ordinary civilian.

A chapter from the "Memoirs of My Friend the Retired Secret Service Man," aptly illustrates the point. He began as a policeman in New York, by the way and was a desk sergeant in an east side precinct house when the incidents which follow occurred.

Stanton, the new cop, came to the force from an express delivery wagon, so that in a measure he had gone through a hardening process. He was intelligent and reasonably tactful, to boot, and nature had planted in him a fair amount of common horse sense. Brave, too, was he, and—well, you will get a fairly accurate idea of Stanton from what follows.

"The Old Man," meaning by that the captain of the precinct, saw in Stanton the making of a good policeman, and without any preliminaries sent him to patrol probably the worst beat in the city. That beat was the property in fee simple, of the Red Eyes, a gang of cut-throats and pickpockets which thrived on the worst jobs of the underworld. It was absolutely impossible to stamp out the gang. The police had long since discovered that. The best they could hope to do was to maintain a semblance of authority, keep the sharp eye on the denizens of the district, and trust to luck.

Now, I don't mean that Stanton's experience was any different from a hundred other policemen on a hundred other beats. All over town, until a new cop shows that there is a man behind the blue coat and the shield, he is a mark for the under half. At the same time, Stanton may be got it a little worse, for the reason that the hazers on his beat were old timers, and up to all the tricks. He was warned of what was apt to happen, and was on his guard.

The first night on the beat, as he passed the gang in the dark at their gathering place on the corner, he heard a voice in the center of the group cry mockingly:

"Oh, see who's here! A nice new cop. Wonder if mamma knows he's out."

Stanton passed on without noticing it. Half an hour later, when he passed the same corner, a pail of water was thrown out of a window at him. A burst of laughter greeted his discomfiture.

He resolutely knocked at the door of the house, and to the woman who answered his summons a miserable, beragged looking creature, he said: "Be a little more careful how you leave pails of water on your window sill."

A growl was the only reply he got, and as he strolled away, a shower of stones followed him from the gang. They pattered against his helmet but he never turned back.

walked away another volley of laughter went after him.

During the next 24 hours he pondered greatly over the situation.

"That bunch is getting away from me," he mused. "I've got to do something, or I might as well turn in my shield. I'll try them another night."

Same old story. They rushed him off the sidewalk that night, jeered at him, hurled mud and stones at him, made audible comments on him as he passed, and in every way sought to belittle him and his authority.

"Time's come," said Stanton, "to act."

He kept his own counsel. His tour of duty did not begin the next night until midnight, but he was on reserve at the station from 6 until 12. At about 8 o'clock he came out into the assembly room, attired in citizens' clothes, and, addressing the sergeant, said:

"I'd like to have a couple of hours off. Sergeant. Rather important business."

"Well, don't be later than 10 o'clock," said the Sergeant.

"I'll be back by that time," said Stanton.

He proceeded directly over to the beat. There was the gang assembled on the regular corner, hilarious riotous. As usual, though they did not immediately recognize him, there was no passageway.

"Open a way there, will you?" he demanded.

"Oh, I don't know," was the reply.

"I do," he replied, and he grasped the tugh by the shoulder and tossed him aside.

With an oath, the man leaped at him.

"Now," cried Stanton, for he recognized in the fellow one of his chief tormentors, "we'll just have it out together first, and then if there are any more who are anxious for a rough house, I'll accommodate them."

"The new cop," cried several of them at once.

"Me," said Stanton. As he spoke the man he had thrust aside came at him. Stanton struck out, and caught the rough on the jaw, and he went into the street. Two more rushed forward.

"One at a time, you cowards," yelled Stanton, backing up against the wall.

Both arms shot out now, and two more of them fell.

"Kell teh cop! Kill teh cop!" went up on all sides.

Stanton saw a knife gleam in the crowd and drew his black-jack. With that weapon he lay open the head of the man who had drawn the knife. They were coming at him from all sides now, and many good, hard blows were being landed on the policeman. But, never having been a drinking man, he was able to take punishment, which, in their cases, send them to the ground.

Within five minutes, Stanton, his back against the wall, was forced by more than 20 of the desperate characters of the district. Curses were being hurled at him, stones were pelting the wall dangerously near his head, his hat had gone, his face was a mass of blood, his clothing was in shreds, but still his fist struck out from one side, and from the other blow after blow from the black jack was landed with telling effect.

The whole neighborhood was in an uproar. From the windows overhead women were screaming murder. Barking dogs were at the heels of the assailants. A riot was imminent. After about half an hour of fighting word reached the precinct house that a man was being murdered in Mulberry street. The reserves were hurried over to the scene. Fighting their way through the mob they found Stanton, his back against the wall, striking out with both hands and warding off the roughs with his feet. His jaw was set with the air of a man who will die but never surrender.

They dug him out of the mass of men finally, and while one of the reserves took him around to the station house the others cleared up the beat.

When he came in the sergeant looked him over.

"For heaven's sake," he cried, "what's happened to you?"

"It was up to me to show that I was as good as they were," said Stanton.

"You look as though you had," said the sergeant.

"You ought to see them," was Stanton's reply.

"Make any arrests?"

"Now, but half a dozen of them have gone to the hospital. And say, Sarge, it's just five minutes of ten."

"You don't think of going back there on duty tonight, do you?" asked the amazed sergeant.

"Sure," replied Stanton. "I think they'll have some respect for me now."

And he was right.

That night he was received in sullen silence. He kept his eyes open for trouble, but no one interfered with him in any way.

The next night, he passed the gang and they opened a way through for him. Finally, on the third night, after the riot, as he got abreast of the gang, the man whom Stanton had tackled first, stepped out in front of him.

"How, Bill?" he said by way of salutation. And then, after a pause, he added:

"Say, now, dere ain't no hard feelings between us, is dere?"

"None at all," replied Stanton.

"Take a drink?"

Stanton did. It was a violation of the regulations. But for that matter so was rioting.

Charles Rolfe, "man of mystery," is wanted by the police on a peculiar charge. What charge? William Le Quex explains in his latest, greatest novel, "The Pauper of Park Lane," for which this paper has secured first publication rights and which will run as a serial in these columns, beginning Monday, March 16, before appearing in book form.

Men are so naturally conceited about their financial ability they will take a pride in spending more than they make.



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IRRISISTIBLE

(Milwaukee News.)

Having been convinced that it is the people's will that he shall be a candidate for re-election, Senator Stephenson is preparing to submit to the inevitable. He has yielded to the spontaneous clamor of the people, as expressed in the petitions to him to be a candidate, and with resignation and fortitude will offer himself as a sacrifice upon the altar of duty.

It is true that when elected to the senate for the short term, Mr. Stephenson promised through the medium of his organ that he would be content with the title of senator and would retire at the expiration of his term without making a contest for re-election. But he could not foresee the changed conditions and the altered circumstances that now confront the people. He has plunged into the fight at Washington. The corporations and swollen wealth are impudent and aggressive. If the people are to win the fight there should be no gaps in the ranks of their champions.

PLANS FOR PICKING TURKEY.

(Milwaukee Journal.)

The general staff of the Bulgarian army claims to have everything in readiness so that in the event of Bulgaria joining in a Balkan war she could place 200,000 troops in the field and march on Constantinople before the Turks would be half ready. Bulgaria is believed by military experts to have the best small army in the world. Its peace footing is 53,000 men, while in war time 300,000 can be put in the field fully equipped. The population of Bulgaria is 4,000,000.

Plans of the Bulgarian general staff call for a reserve army of 100,000 and the invasion of Turkey by two armies of 100,000 men each. The first army would move on Ardianople as its first objective point, while the second army would march on Salonica. With these cities taken Bulgaria would hold the most important points in European Turkey outside of Constantinople, and would be prepared to march upon the sultan's capital.

A Correction.

Waiter (in New York restaurant)—We do not serve half portions to two persons, sir.

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They will wear longer and give better satisfaction than some chains sold in jewelry stores for three times our price.

Don't pay a fancy price; let us save you the money. We will replace any chain that does not give absolute satisfaction as to wearing qualities at any time.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE

Our new line of 1938 Wall Paper is now nearly all in and we will have a

GRAND OPENING SALE

A notable event that every resident of La Crosse and vicinity, who is looking for new Wall Paper, should attend. Wonderful bargains will be offered in all the various grades during this sale.

Now is your opportunity to secure high grade Wall Coverings at a great saving in price. We have the line of paper that will please you and we will make prices that will suit you. So now all you have to do is to call and get what you want while the stock is complete.

Car fare will be allowed to customers from the south side and Onalaska with a purchase of \$1.00 or more.

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Once our patron, always our patron because we do the work right at prices right. A trial will convince you of this. Phone, and we will do the rest.

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ST. CLARA'S RECITAL

The music pupils of the St. Clara's convent will give a recital to their friends March 17. It will be held at the convent.



GO-CARTS

Come in and look over our immense line of new Go-Carts before buying. We have them in a great variety of styles and kinds at saving prices, ranging

FROM \$1.75 to \$20

**COMPLETE COLLAPSEABLE
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The very latest and best ever made. You'll be surprised to see how completely they fold

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NEW DECORATING STORE IS OPENED

The new paint and wall paper store opened by Will Bristow at 807 Rose street is ready for business.

Mr. Bristow has purchased a splendid stock.

STATE ORGANIZER HERE MARCH 13

Notices have been sent out to members of the North Side Lodge of the U. O. P. to the effect that State Organizer A. A. Riel will be in the city March 13, and will deliver an address here.

SOCIETY CHOOSES OFFICERS

The following officers were elected at a business meeting of the Young People's society of the Trinity Lutheran church, held in the parlors of the church on Avon street.

President—Neil Rund.
Vice president—Miss Emma Rund.
Secretary—Miss Lina Skaggh.
Treasurer—O. R. Julesberg.
Revision committee—Bella Iversen and Anna Stendahl.

Program committee—Clara Rund and Ida Wingstad.
Publication committee—Harold Rund.

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CHURCHES

Norwegian Methodist.

Norwegian Methodist church, corner of Berlin and Sill streets, Eliot Hansen, pastor. Sunday services, 10:30 a. m.; evening, 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

Norwegian Lutheran.

Norwegian Lutheran church, corner of Charles and Sill streets, Rev. E. O. Vik, pastor.—Morning services at 10:30.

North Presbyterian.

Corner Logan and Avon streets, Rev. A. A. Randall, pastor.—Services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at noon.

German Evangelical Lutheran.

German Evangelical Lutheran church, corner of Avon and St. Paul streets, Rev. G. M. Thurov, pastor.—Sunday morning services at 10 a. m. Services at Onalaska at 2 p. m. Evening service in English language at 8 p. m.

Scandinavian Baptist.

Scandinavian Baptist church, corner Charles and Logan streets, Rev. Iver Larson, pastor.—Sunday services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 12 m.

Caledonia Street M. E.

Caledonia street, between Wall and Windsor streets, Albert L. Wood, pastor.—Class meeting at 9:30 a. m. Sunday school 11:45 a. m. Epworth league, 6:30. Morning worship at 10:30, sermon by the pastor. Evening service at 7:30. At the evening service there will be special music by the young people's choir.

Bethel Norwegian Lutheran.

Bethel Norwegian Lutheran church, corner Sill and George street, O. L. Christenson, pastor. Services, Sunday, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school, 9:00 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:45 p. m. The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 1510 Avon street. Services every Sunday. Public cordially invited. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Preaching services at 3:30 and 7:30 p. m.

Beauty bringers, are Satin skin cream and Satin skin complexion powder. Only 2c.

FRANKLIN CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

At the regular meeting of the Franklin club held at their hall on the North Side the following officers were elected to serve during the coming year:

President—Rudolph Schlabach.
Vice president—C. C. Looney.
Secretary—D. L. Wartinbee.
Treasurer—Paul T. Schulze.
Regent—H. L. Taylor.
Sergeant at arms—George B. Marvin.

Trustees—M. M. Downey, W. E. Barber and D. L. Wartinbee.

"Resolved, That the Canteen Should Be Restored to the U. S. Army," is the question that will be debated at the next meeting. The affirmative will be composed of A. Zerasky, P. Schulze, and Otto Bossard, while H. L. Taylor, H. Spence and H. G. Hayden will argue the negative.

TIMOTHY MAHONEY TO BE "COPPER"

Timothy Mahoney, driver at No. 2 fire station on the North side, has resigned his position in the department to accept one on the La Crosse police force. Mr. Mahoney's resignation came as a surprise. He will start on his duties as patrolman, Monday. He has been in the fire department on the North Side for about 12 years.

NORTH SIDE BRIEFS.

Mrs. Martha Freeman, who has been attending the convention of Royal Neighbors in Milwaukee, has returned home.

Mr. Fred Flueter, who has been attending the funeral of his mother at Sparta, has returned to his home on the North Side. The elder Mr. Flueter will make his home with his son in this city.

Carl Bauch, who had the misfortune to be knocked off a box car in the Milwaukee yards, is recovering from his injuries and will be able to resume his duties in about 10 days.

John Kerrigan, who has been employed as engineer at Kilbourn, has returned to his home, 528 Mill street. Mr. Kerrigan has been employed on the dam that is being installed there.

Peter Peterson, who had his hand injured while at work in the Can company's plant, will return to work next week.

Miss Elsie Keizer, who has been teaching school in Blue River, Wis., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Keizer on the North side.

Mrs. Catherine McCarthy of Gillette street, who has been at the St. Francis hospital, has been removed to her home.

William Pfaff of Wood street, and F. Keggle of George street have enlisted in the United States army and will leave for Fort Snelling, where they will enter the service. They have both chosen the artillery.

Mrs. C. Schisser of Wood street, who has been confined at a local hospital, will be taken to her home Monday.

M. A. Emundson, 1612 Avon street, is building a porch to his residence and otherwise remodeling his property.

Scalp Specialists

Use and Recommend

NEWBRO'S HERPICIDE

"I am sending you my photograph to show what Newbro's Herpicide has done for me. Since I first tried Herpicide upon my hair I have used it exclusively in giving scalp treatments to others, and I would not think of trying to get along without it."
(Signed) MRS. ANNA CONNER.
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Hundreds of lady scalp specialists and hair dressers use and recommend Newbro's Herpicide. Instead of products of their own manufacture upon which a much larger profit could be made. They claim that Herpicide makes friends for them and gives much better satisfaction. Some hair dressers use Herpicide for obstinate cases only, but why not use the best first?

Herpicide is a delightful dressing that can be used when there is no disease of the hair or scalp, and as an actual remedy for dandruff, itching scalp and falling hair it stands in a class singularly its own.

Many ladies object to a gummy and sticky hair dressing, or one that is full of sedimentary chemicals intended to dye the hair. The marked preference for a clean and dainty preparation, particularly one that overcomes excessive oiliness and leaves the hair light and fluffy, is reflected in the enormous sale of Newbro's Herpicide. Discriminating ladies become enthusiastic over its refreshing quality and exquisite fragrance. It stops itching of the scalp almost instantly.

Two sizes, 50c and \$1.00. At Drug Stores—Send 10 cents in stamps to The Herpicide Co., Dept. N., Detroit, Michigan, for a Sample. Guaranteed under the Food and Drugs Act June 30, 1904. Serial No. 915.

Be sure you get Herpicide. Hoeschler Bros., Special Agents. Application at prominent barber shops.



Mrs. Anna Conner.

HEILEMAN GOING TO THE FRONT FAST

BUSINESS EXPANSION NECESSITATES ENLARGED FACILITIES

PASTEURIZER IS THE LATEST

Bottling Department Has Newest Things in Equipment—Brew-house Latest Model

The continuous increase of business necessitates the G. Heileman Brewing company to expand a large sum for new and extensive improvements.

In the Bottling Department.

There is now being erected one of the latest styles of pasteurizers. This is an enormous machine weighing much over 100,000 pounds. It required two 40 foot flat cars for transportation. The capacity of this machine is 1,800 cases of three dozen pints in ten hours. Two of the very largest rotary filling machines, and two automatic crown capping machines have been installed to supply this pasteurizer. When these improvements are finished, the bottles will enter at one end of the bottling, entering the soaking machines, filled with strong, hot lye. Passing through these machines they are placed in bottle washers where they are thoroughly washed (sixteen bottles at a time). From there, each bottle is inspected, placed on a sprinkling machine and thoroughly rinsed with clear well water. After rinsing, the bottles are placed in the filling machines, which fill each bottle automatically (thirty-two bottles being continuously in the machine). From there they pass to the crown capping machine, at the rate of seventy-five to eighty bottles per minute. The bottles leave the capping machine and enter the pasteurizer. These bottles enter cold, are then gradually warmed up to a high temperature, and then cooled off at the other end, all this work being continuous. The bottles are taken from the machines, inspected again, and placed on the table of the labeling machines. These labeling machines put on both the body and neck label at one time, at a rate of about forty-eight a minute. The bottles, when labeled, are placed on an endless belt table, carrying the bottles to the packers who place the bottles in cases and casks. After being packed, the packages are placed on roller conveyors and sent to the storage room. The bottles do

not rest one minute from the time they enter the soaker until they leave the packers, being on a continuous move all the time.

New Improvement in Brew-house.

It is essential, in brewing beer, that the same be exposed as little as possible to the atmosphere, especially in cooling. The general practice was to let the hot beer run over the outside of copper pipes, through which cold water was being pumped. The company have now put in an apparatus which cools the beer in enclosed iron tin-lined pipes, thus practically keeping the beer germ-proof.

Pumps.

Water is of great importance in the brewing industry. Let us sing: Listen to the rippling waters, Flowing there, and flowing here; We are very fond of water 'Cause we use it in our beer.

A new upright pumping engine was recently erected, having a capacity of over 750,000 gallons of clear, cold well water.

Boilers.

Two 380 horse power Scotch marine boilers were put in to replace the old ones. These boilers are eight feet in diameter, and carry 120 lbs. steam pressure.

Brewers' Grains Drier.

The company is now building a two story steel and cement structure between the cold storage building and brew-house, and will put in machinery for drying the wet brewers' grains. The machinery required will make up a full car load and consists of a thirty foot drier weighing about 40,000 pounds; a grains drier press; a dried grains packer, including other apparatus, etc.

Electric Transmission.

The brewery, bottling, etc., have been equipped throughout with twenty-three electric alternating motors from 1½ to 40 horse power. Most every prominent machine has its own individual motor.

This new modern machinery and improvements will enable the brewing company to handle their continued increasing business with promptness and dispatch.

"HI" IS STRUCK BY AN AUTO

"Hello, Hi, how are you?" said a friend, slapping Hiram Goddard, the well known lumberman, on the back. "Oh, I'm in pretty poor shape," replied Goddard.

"Is that so; 'smatter?" "I just was struck by an automobile," he replied with a faint smile. "Struck by an auto! When did this happen?"

"Well, you see my son just bought a new machine and forwarded the bill to me." With that he slapped his forehead and jogged on towards the North Side.

I HAVE JUST OPENED WITH A NEW LINE OF WALL PAPER, PAINTERS' AND PAPER HANGERS' SUPPLIES

My stock is entirely new and of the very latest I can give you better prices on Wall Papers than any one else for the reason my expenses are low. Estimates made on all papering, painting and calso-mining and interior decorating. All my work is guaranteed first class and at prices that suit you.

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DON'T DELAY—COME EARLY

A FINE BROMIDE ENLARGEMENT ABSOLUTELY FREE

With an order of my Photos amounting to \$3.00 or over, size of the enlargement is 16x20 inches.

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PANIC PRICES

Certainly the panic is over, but in our case its effect is just becoming apparent. During the most unsettled condition our orders were placed for spot cash, with discounts that made us smile. We are now in a position to offer you

WALL PAPER

at retail for a considerable smaller price than the factories today would sell it, at wholesale. We quote you a few prices:

An 8 cent paper, in combination, at per double roll 2c
A good line of patterns at per double roll 5c, 7c and 9c
15c to 20c gills with 9 and 18 inch borders, double roll at 10c
Tapestry, per double roll from 10c up
The best values ever offered at 15c, 17c, 20c, 25c up to 50c
Parlor papers, per double roll from 10c to \$3.00

OVER 800 PATTERNS TO SELECT FROM.

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Advice to The Cook

OYSTER TALKS

If you want your oysters stews to be good you must first be sure that your oysters are good. Always use Sealship Oysters and then you can be sure of their quality. All others are so full of stale water and foul "embalming" powders that they are apt to make the milk curdle.

Sealship Oysters have come from the oyster-beds in a porcelain, enameled case, as clean and wholesome as any dish in your kitchen. They are sealed as soon as shucked and ice is packed around them—not in them.

Sealship Oysters, cooked in any way, retain the delicious flavor of those just opened. They have the true salt-water tang. Served raw, it is impossible to tell that they have not been taken from the shell within an hour. Demand Sealship Oysters, if you want to be sure that you are serving pure food and not "doped" stuff.

SEALSHIP OYSTERS FRESH DAILY.

JOHN C. BURNS FRUIT HOUSE



BILL BRYAN

Is a lucky boy, for you can plainly see that, out of all the suitors he's the steady company. The American people admire a man of sterling honesty and possessed with admirable traits of character. Persistence is a great quality. It has helped us to achieve our present high standing in this community. There are many qualities to admire in our mill work as well as in individuals. Once you place a contract with us, you'll appreciate the manner in which all our work is guaranteed.

SEGELKE & KOHLHAUS
MANUFACTURING CO.
Both Phones 130.
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ELECTRIC WIRING
BENTON
DOES IT RIGHT
200 S. FRONT ST.

"Say Charlie"

Give me another bottle of that cure of yours for cough I used the other one myself, and it cured me all right, and now my boy has got the same kind of a cough. By the way my neighbor first told me, that it was the best cough cure he ever saw, having cured himself of an awful cough he had for weeks, his mother recommending it to him, who heard a friend of hers brag it up after it cured her daughter of a tough, dangerous sounding cough, who had read the ad in the Tribune. Let's see what you call it, Yareby Santy or Sanky? He wanted a bottle of Gray's Yerba Santa, and this is just a sample conversation frequently occurring when they come for that cough killer, Gray's Yerba Santa. Of course you know it happened at Chas. Bey-schlag's drug store, 503 Main St.

DINNER.

Mrs. A. N. Moore of Onalaska entertained a few La Crosse friends at dinner on Thursday.

IRVINE'S
The Popular Priced Jewelry Store.
Sterling Silver Teaspoons
Several Beautiful Patinas
45c Each
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We told you last week about the Herrick circulation and now we want to tell you about the construction.

THE FRAME
is made of the best kiln dried oak, covered with a good grade of coach varnish.

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with the best mineral wool, reinforced with sheets of heavy insulating paper.

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is of sanitary white spruce, which is always dry, clean and sweet and never requires scrubbing. Enamel or glass linings if desired.

THE DRIP PAN
is of pressed galvanized iron and will not rust.

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is simple, but effective, and will not rust.

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It is her winning ways that often enable a woman to get the better of a man in the matrimonial game.

CITY NEWS

PROPERTY TRANSFER—E. W. Guenther has purchased the Lund property on Twenty-third street, between Main and King streets, Mr. Lund going to North Dakota.

TO VISIT CHICAGO—Mr. G. H. Watkins, manager of the Paulsen Shoe company, leaves for Chicago market Monday. He will be gone about 10 days.

JOIN W. O. W.—Five candidates were admitted into the W. O. W. last evening. They will purchase regalia and paraphernalia, the joint North and South side lodges to pay the expense.

JAIL MEETING—The meeting held at the jail last Sunday, led by Rev. A. M. Ivey, assisted by Mr. P. M. Brink and Mr. J. F. Cross, was fraught with great blessing and power. These gospel meetings are much welcomed in the county jail, and are listened to with great interest.

SINGS SOLO—Mr. Milton Kerr, who is singing at the Bijou theater, will render a solo at the Westminster Presbyterian church at the morning service tomorrow.

MEN'S MEETING—A special meeting for men will be held at the Y. M. C. A. at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

"MACHINES" WIN FROM "TELEPHONES"

The "machines" won from the "telephones" of the Vote-Berger league last night by the following scores:

Telephone	1st	2nd	3rd
Fredrickson	114	99	91
Grabern	91	96	102
Reed	120	113	99
Griffith	115	88	95
Zoeller	141	128	142

Total	1st	2nd	3rd
Machine	581	524	529
E. Lundgren	146	160	148
Pfeiffer	127	121	133
Schelby	189	136	109
F. Kerr	88	110	99
A. Kerr	122	113	83
Totals	663	640	576

To Owners of Bad Breath--

Foul Odor of Indigestion, Smoking, Eating or Drinking Stopped at Once With Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges.

Trial Package To Prove It Sent Free.
Bilious breathers, onion eaters, indigestion victims, cabbage consumers, smokers, drinkers and those with gas on the stomach are in a class all by themselves, distinguished by a powerful bad breath.

They all breathe, and as they breathe, they whiff out odor which makes those standing near turn their heads away in disgust. The pitiable part of it is that these victims do not realize what a sickening thing a bad, offensive breath is to others.

Charcoal is a wonderful absorber of gases and odors. It absorbs 100 times its own volume of gas.

Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges will put a stop to your bad, offensive breath, and to your belchings, whatever the cause or source, because the charcoal quickly absorbs all noxious, unnatural odors and gases.

If you suffer from indigestion and belch gas as a result, Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges will absorb all the gas and make you stop belching.

If on getting up in the morning you have such a bad, bilious breath that you can almost smell it yourself, Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges will get rid of it for you quickly.

If you have been smoking or chewing, or have been eating onions or other odorous things, Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges will make your breath pure and sweet.

Charcoal is also the best laxative known. You can take a whole boxful and no harm will result. It is a wonderfully easy regulator.

And, then, it filters your blood, every particle of poison and impurity in your blood is destroyed, and you begin to notice the difference in your face first thing, your clear complexion.

Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges are made from pure willow charcoal, and just a little honey is put in to make them palatable, but not too sweet.

They will work wonders in your stomach, and make you feel fine and fresh. Your blood and breath will be purified. You will feel clean inside.

We want to prove all this to you, so just send for a free sample today. Then after you get it and use it, you will like them so well that you will go to your druggist and get a 25c box of these Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges.

Send us your name and address today and we will at once send you by mail a sample package free. Address F. A. Stuart Co., 200 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

CARD OF THANKS.
We herewith wish to extend our heartfelt thanks for the sympathy and kindness shown us in our late bereavement. Very truly,
CLARA OLSEN.
OLGA OLSEN.
ALMA OLSEN.

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The Popular Priced Jewelry Store
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PERSONALS

Mrs. R. C. Kuhn of Minneapolis, formerly of La Crosse, is in the city for a few weeks' visit.

A. Carlton, deputy of the Modern Samaritan lodge, returned yesterday from Minneapolis where he attended the convention of the lodge of that state. He will leave tonight for Milwaukee to attend the meeting of the lodge there.

The Annual Poudre Social for the benefit of the Home of the Friendless will be held at the Home next Tuesday, March 17th. It is hoped the public will respond generously to this worthy cause.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women. H. B. Hornes and wife and son of Spring Grove are the guests of La Crosse friends.

W. A. Roberts of Waukon is in the city over Sunday visiting friends. George Dodds of Winona is in the city for a few days on a business mission.

George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Mrs. F. Mead of Madison is the guest of friends in La Crosse this week.

A. J. John of Winona is in the city for a few days calling on business acquaintances.

T. Brudor, of Madison, S. D., is the guest of friends in the city for a few days.

Black calls day and night. Phone 173, Gateway City Transfer Line. James O'Brien of Sparta is in the city today looking over business interests.

Geo. H. Swifts of Rockford is in the city for a few days calling on friends.

Ben W. Davis has returned to his home in Galesville after transacting business in La Crosse.

Mr. R. J. Canaan, 1604 Loomis street, left today for Chicago, where he will visit friends and relatives.

T. W. Lucas of Winona is spending a few days in the city visiting friends.

E. Schiltz has returned to his home in Fond du Lac after transacting business in the city.

New wall papers at Heystek's, Fourth street, opposite City Scale.

F. Arnold of Eau Claire was calling on business acquaintances in the city yesterday.

C. W. Miller of Hurley, S. D., was renewing old acquaintances in La Crosse yesterday.

For wall paper bargains, Heystek's, Fourth street, opposite Market Square.

H. Eckern of Whitehall was calling on La Crosse friends yesterday.

O. M. Botsford has returned to his home in Winona after transacting business in the city.

F. Grove of Viola, Wis., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Cassidy, 2037 Loomis street.

Tuberculosis has been found among the cattle of this vicinity. Have your cattle tested by Tuberculin, the only sure method. Dr. D. W. McKillip, ex-U. S. Inspector, 711 Market St. Old phone, 8634, La Crosse.

D. Ashland of Berlin street is building an addition and remodeling his residence.

R. D. Peck of Columbus, Wis., was a business caller in the city for a short time yesterday.

O. C. Lee of Mabel is the guest of friends in La Crosse over Sunday.

C. Hendricks of Holmen is spending a few days in the city on business.

Wall paper, latest styles, prices in reach of all. Heystek's, Fourth street, opposite Market Square.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Ecken of Houston are the guests of relatives and friends in the city.

O. S. Bean of Sheboygan is the guest of relatives in La Crosse over Sunday.

O. Austin of Grand Rapids, Mich., has returned home after visiting friends in the city.

T. Zahn of Ripon is in the city for a few days visiting friends and acquaintances.

Mrs. A. Koehn of Arcadia is the guest of friends and relatives in the city over Sunday.

J. F. Wilson of Conquest, Wis., was in La Crosse this week on a business mission.

J. Virte of Madison, S. D., was in the city yesterday while enroute east.

W. P. Cunningham, pastor of West Avenue M. E. church exchanges pulpits with E. F. Horth, pastor at Rockland next Sunday.

Frank Rooney has gone to West Baden for a few weeks' recreation.

Miss Lulu Randall has returned to her home in Mauston after visiting her sister, Miss Mary Randall.

Miss Gertrude Hilman has returned to her home in Eau Claire after visiting relatives and friends in the city.

A WAR BETWEEN ENGLAND AND SERBIA

LONDON, March 14.—International complication with the Serbian government may, it is feared, lead to war or a breaking of the "entente cordiale." Read the details in William Le Queux's latest, greatest novel, "The Panper of Park Lane," in this paper, beginning Monday, March 16. It is the novel of this year. This paper publishes it serially before it appears in book form.

S. S. CLASS ENTERTAINED.

Mrs. C. F. Emery and Mrs. Judd pleasantly entertained their Sunday school classes last evening at the home of Mrs. Emery. There are twenty young ladies in Mrs. Judd's class and fifteen in Mrs. Emery's, and a delightful social time was had by the thirty-five girls. Games enlivened the evening and refreshments were served at 9:30.

K. P. CARD PARTY.

The Knights of Pythias had a pleasant card party and informal hop last evening in their hall. Five hundred was played and the prizes were won by Mrs. Kinder and Mr. Alken. Light refreshments were served and about thirty guests were present.

MARCH WEATHER

The wind, the dampness and the general uncertainty of March weather make it a month of extreme danger to every one, especially so for the rundown, overworked, brain-tired men and women who have not kept their blood rich and healthful.

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey stimulates and enriches the blood, aids digestion, builds up the nerve tissues, tones up the heart and fortifies the system against disease germs.

A Stimulant for the Old.

"Writing for my father, would say that he is now approaching his eighty-second year, but owing to loss of sight is not able to go out much and get his accustomed exercise, which he has had for years. He has never been in the habit of using stimulants in any way, but finding that he required something of the kind, has tried several, and prefers Duffy's Malt Whiskey to any other. He takes a small dose every day, with an equal quantity of water, as the strength is sufficient, and considers that he has been much benefited by its use. As for myself, I never use stimulants of any kind, but heartily approve of your manufacture, as it has been so beneficial to my father."

—GEO. E. GOODWIN (for Geo. I. Goodwin), Newton, Mass.

Builds Up at 82.

"For about two years I have been using your Malt Whiskey, and it has been of great benefit to me. I was all run down and debilitated and nothing seem to build me up. I read in the Boston Globe about Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, and thought it would be just the right thing for me, and have found it so. I am 82 years of age."—WARREN CUTLER, Woburn, Mass.

Cramps Cured.

"For 20 years I have been troubled with cramps in my limbs, but I commenced using your Malt Whiskey and have not since been bothered with cramps."

"I have had recently a severe sick spell, with bowel trouble, and your Whiskey again helped me wonderfully. I am 77 years old."—JOHN H. WOOD, Comersville, Ind.

Does More than Claimed.

"I wish to tell you that I have used your Malt Whiskey as a medicine and stimulant and found it all right. It helped me when I had rheumatism, and has almost cured my kidney trouble. I continue to take it with full confidence that I will be much better in the long run."—URIAH RUCH, Burlington, Kan.

A Good Medicine.

"I have used your Malt Whiskey as a great deal, but what I have used I found very beneficial. It is a good article and a very good medicine."—J. L. KIRK, Adrian, Mich.

A Medicine Unequaled.

"I have used your Malt Whiskey as a medicine and there is none to equal it. I have had the best results from it and can recommend it to anybody."—JNO. STEPHENS, Jeanette, Pa.

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

is an absolutely pure distillation of malted grain; great care being used to have every kernel thoroughly malted, thus destroying the germ and producing a predigested liquid food in the form of a malt essence, which is the most effective tonic stimulant and invigorator known to science; softened by warmth and moisture its palatability and freedom from injurious substances render it so that it can be retained by the most sensitive stomach.

It cures nervousness, typhoid, malaria, every form of stomach trouble, diseases of the throat and lungs, and all run-down and weakened conditions of the body, brain and nerves. It is prescribed by doctors and is recognized as a family medicine everywhere.

CAUTION.—When you ask your druggist, grocer or dealer for Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey be sure you get the genuine. It's the only absolutely pure medicinal malt whiskey and is sold in sealed bottles only; never in bulk. Price \$1.00. Look for the trade-mark, the "Old Chemist," on the label, and make sure the seal over the cork is unbroken. Write Dr. R. Curran, Consulting Physician, for an illustrated medical booklet and free advice. Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y.



RACYLE WINNING RACE FOR FAME

Back to fame and popularity for the bicycle! As a sport, as a convenience in conveyance, as a public utility, the "wheel" is again on the crest of Fad-dom's wave. The year 1908 promises to see a complete renaissance of cycling, with a return of the enthusiasm and vigor of the first years of the "safety."

Leading in the race of the bicycle back to popularity is the "Racyle." This excellent machine in many important features is so distinctly superior as to be in a class by itself.

Everything in its composition, beginning with the scientifically analyzed steel of which it is made, and including its almost frictionless pedal, its arrangement to relieve the chain from strain, its bearings of perfect action, this superb machine is adjusted with a nicety and manufactured with a flawlessness making it when assembled the nearest approach ever made to a perfect bicycle.

The early opening of spring is bringing many prospective customers to the store of Charles Wels, and the appreciation shown by them indicates that 1908 will be the greatest bicycle year in a decade and that the Racyle is going to lead in the sales by a splendid margin.

YOUNG MEN ARE ENLISTING RAPIDLY

William Pfaff and Frank Cagle, two young men of the North Side, have been enlisted at the local recruiting office to serve for field artillery and have been sent to Ft. Snelling the first of next week. Several other candidates have visited the local recruiting office and this month promises to be a banner month for recruits.

Important Notice To Prospective Purchasers of

AUTOMOBILES

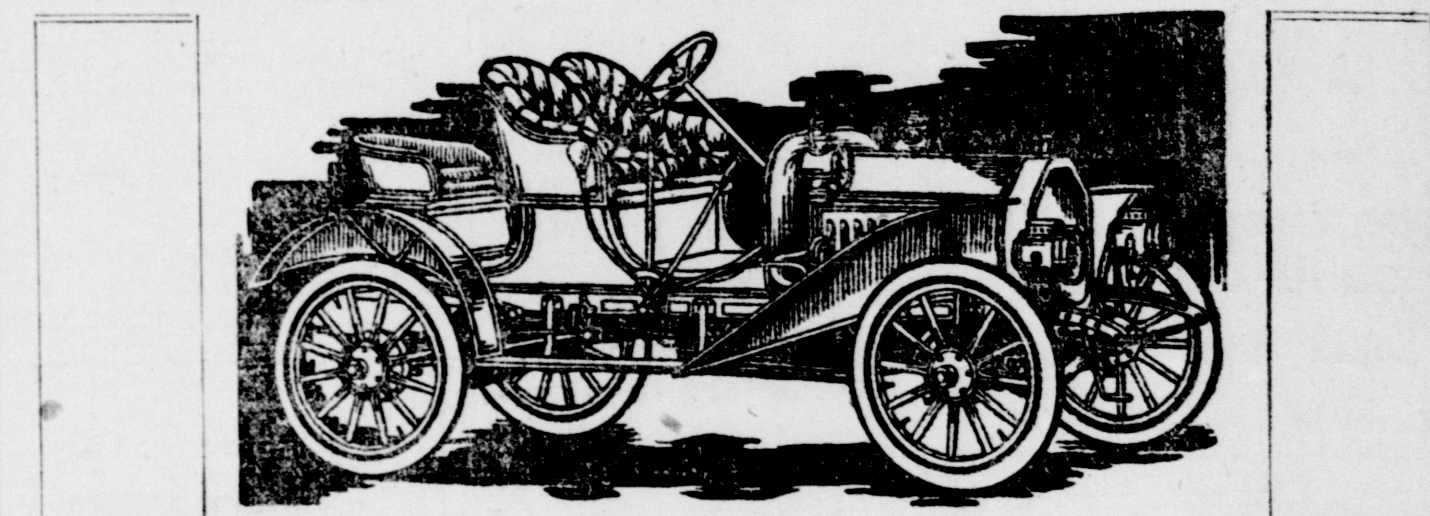
Now is the time to decide on your 1908 car. The best makers are kept busy day and night trying to keep up with the demand for their product.

The Tanberg Auto Co. having the choice of the American market for its 1908 lines offers what competent critics acknowledge to be the best ever offered in automobile value.

WHITE STEAMER OLDSMOBILE, BUICK, WAVERLEY

Let us know your wants. We can give you not only the best value but when we sell you a car our interest in your welfare only begins. The usual method heretofore employed by many auto agencies is to get your money and then lose all further interest in your car.

The Tanberg Auto Co. stands for a square automobile deal to its patrons.



BODY—Runabout, with detachable rumble seat.
SEATS—Three persons.
WHEEL BASE—88 inches.
GAUGE—56 inches.
TIRES—30x3-inch Michelin on clincher rims only.
BRAKES—Hub, internal expanding; and external contracting on transmissionshaft.
SPRING—Full elliptic rear, semi-elliptic front.
FRAME—Pressed steel.
HORSE POWER—Eighteen.
CYLINDERS—Four, 3 3/4 x 3 1/2 inches.
MOTOR SUSPENSION—Sub-frame.
COOLING—Water.
IGNITION—Jump spark; single coil and distributor.

CURRENT SUPPLY—Storage battery.
CARBURETOR—Simple, but effective.
LUBRICATION—Force feed; gear driven.
MOTOR CONTROL—On top steering wheel.
CLUTCH—Cone.
TRANSMISSION—Planetary; speeds two forward, one reverse.
CONTROL—Foot pedals for slow speed ahead and reverse; side lever for engagement of clutch.
DRIVE—Shaft.
PRICE—\$900 f. o. b. factory. This price includes oil lamps, tail lamp, generator, gas headlights, horn, repair outfit, etc.
EXTRAS—Top, with shifting rail, \$50.

TANBERG AUTO CO.

312 STATE STREET

BOTH PHONES 123

Epilepsy, Fits

Convulsions, or Spasms and St. Vitus' Dance are Nervous Diseases. Most cases can be cured by strengthening and building up the nervous system. To do this a nerve medicine is needed. Dr. Miles' Nerve will be found efficacious and satisfactory. It has cured many cases of these diseases and we believe it will cure you. We can give you names of many who have been cured through its use. Write for advice.

"My son John had epilepsy for years, and after having him treated by specialists for over 2 years he still continued to have spells. I had almost given up in despair, but knowing the virtue of Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills for sick headache, I concluded to try the Nerve. During June, 1906, I gave him a teaspoonful three times a day, then in July I gave it as directed, and I could see that he was improving, and he has not had a spell since August 28, 1906, and has taken no medicine since Jan.-07. I am writing the case just as it is hoping it will induce others to try it."

W. R. ALLISON, Mooresville, N. C.

Your druggist sells Dr. Miles' Nerve, and we authorize him to return price of first bottle (only) if it fails to benefit you.

Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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THE POINT OF VIEW

Complaints sometimes come pretty near being compliments. Much depends upon the standards with which people are familiar. They may become so accustomed to bad service as to weary of pointing out its shortcomings. On the other hand, the man who complains because his eggs and coffee are not satisfactory is probably accustomed to a good breakfast.

So the man who is obliged to wait a few extra seconds because "Central" does not speak as quickly as usual, finds the delay irksome because it is an exception to the rule of prompt service. The service furnished by the Bell telephone companies throughout the United States is by far the best in the world; even foreign experts admit that. Yet with all the advantages coming from the maintenance of an up-to-date plant operated by a sufficiently large and highly trained force, irregularities will happen. The aim of the Wisconsin Telephone Company is to give complete satisfaction to all subscribers all the time. To err is human, but where the company detects an error it will apply a remedy.

"GOOD SAMARITAN" LOSES OWN COAT

PATIENT HE NURSED DID NOT EVEN RETURN IT

HEALTH OFFICER IS OUT

Cared for Man With Scarlet Fever and City's Bill Goes Unpaid, and He is Minus an Overcoat

Acting the part of "The Good Samaritan" to Nels Orthum, Virgoqua, who came here ill with scarlet fever, Health Officer Anthony Murphy was repaid with gross ingratitude.

Mr. Murphy took the young man to a cottage and cared for him while he was in a critical condition. He was nearly blind and thin as a skeleton from the effects of the disease. He was delirious for two weeks, Murphy dressing and caring for him all this time. He finally recovered but was weak and Dr. Murphy therefore sent him to the hospital ward, where he remained until he grew stronger. As the disease is infectious the doctor had to change attire each time after caring for him.

The man told Murphy that he had \$40 coming from a tobacco firm in La Crosse. The health officer told him that he could go and get the money and come back, that it would not all be taken from him but that he could board himself until he grew a little stronger and found work. As it was cold Murphy suggested that the young man wear his overcoat. The man took it gladly. Murphy said he was positive that the man would return as he had been so patient in bearing his suffering and appeared so honest.

But neither the coat nor the man has returned, nor has he paid part of the city's bill with his \$40.

EDWIN HANSON EXPIRES FRIDAY

Edwin Hanson, a laborer in the employ of the Heileman Brewing company, died late yesterday afternoon after being at the hospital but a few minutes. Deceased had been suffering for about six weeks with dropsy. He had been gradually failing until yesterday when he was removed to the hospital in hopes of improvement but died after arriving at the hospital.

He was 28 years old and is survived by a widow, two children, three brothers and two sisters.

The funeral will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, 1202 South Fourth street and from the Norwegian Lutheran church at 2:30. Rev. Magelssen will conduct the services and interment will take place at the Oak Grove cemetery.

Dies at Hospital.

Miss Cora Overland, age 28 years, died at the Lutheran hospital last evening after a short illness with complication of diseases. She was brought to the hospital in a critical condition Wednesday evening from her home in Rushford, Minn., and failed rapidly until the end came. She is survived by her parents and several brothers and sisters.

The body was shipped this morning over the Milwaukee for her home in Rushford where the funeral will take place.

E. F. U. PREPARES ANOTHER PROGRAM

The Equitable Fraternal Union next Tuesday evening, will give a program which includes addresses by several of the state officials including E. A. Williams of Neenah. A musical program will also be given.

Deputy H. B. Brown, who succeeded B. Franzenstein, will be in attendance at the meeting.

LINCOLN-DOUGLAS WINS THE CONTEST

The Lincoln-Douglas society won the declamatory contest with the Wendell-Phillips society last night. There were three contestants from each society. The judges were Rev. Lowe, Judge John Brindley and Prof. Greenmeyer.

Prof. Schubert presided.

44 BIRTHS AND 40 DEATHS IN FEB.

Births during the month of February were 22 males and 21 females; deaths were 22 males and 18 females. Ten of the deaths were caused by tuberculosis.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAM

Secretary F. E. Doty announce that an examination for an expert stenographer who can take 175 words per minute will soon be held. The salary is \$1,200 per annum with advancement. The examination comprises shorthand, typewriting and tabulating, spelling, letter writing and a preliminary paper, totaling 20 points.

A NEW WAR DOG

WASHINGTON, March 14.—The battleship "New Hampshire," the first added to the navy since the departure of the Atlantic fleet, was ordered placed in commission at the League Island navy yard today. She will be commanded by Captain Cameron McRae Winslow.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

FOR SALE—University Encyclopedia in a No. 1 condition; can be had at two-thirds of cost price. Address 28, Tribune.

IF WHAT YOU EAT THIS EVENING LIES LIKE LEAD IN THE STOMACH

GET A CASE OF DIAPEPSIN AND YOU'LL NOT SUFFER FROM INDIGESTION OR STOMACH MISERY FIVE MINUTES LATER

If what you just ate is souring on your stomach or lies like a lump of lead, refusing to digest, or you belch Gas and Eructate sour undigested food or have a feeling of Dizziness, Heartburn, Fullness, Nausea, Bad taste in mouth and Stomach headache—this is Indigestion.

A full case of Pape's Diapepsin contains enough 22-grain Triangles to usually relieve the worst case of Dyspepsia, and leave sufficient about the house in case some one else in the family may suffer from Stomach trouble or Indigestion.

Ask your pharmacist to show you the formula plainly printed on these 50-cent cases, then you will understand why Dyspeptic trouble of all kinds must go, and why they usually relieve a sour stomach or Indigestion in five minutes. Get a case now and eat one Triangle after your next meal. They are harmless and taste like candy, though each contains power sufficient to digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood 3,000 grains of food, besides it makes you go to the table with a hearty appetite; but, what will please you most is that you will feel that your Stomach and intestines are clean and fresh, and you will not need to resort to laxatives or liver pills for Bilioussness or Constipation.

This city will have many Diapepsin cranks, as some people will call them, but you won't be cranky about this splendid stomach prescription, too, if you ever have Indigestion or Gastritis or any other Stomach misery, and eat just one Triangle.

PANKE RESIGNS AS LABOR ORGANIZER

NO LONGER BUSINESS AGENT FOR LABOR ORGANIZATIONS

OTHER BUSINESS INTERESTS

Cannot Devote Entire Time to Organization So New Man Will be Named at Next Meeting

At the meeting of the Trades and Labor council last evening, Business Agent William Panke, who has been at the head for the past two years and a half, handed in his resignation to take effect March 28.

Mr. Panke has lately taken up other business interests that take his time and was unable to devote his entire time to the office. A successor has not as yet been named, the matter awaiting the next meeting of the association.

Reports were read at the meeting last evening from various organizations in the city and unions and all reported that business has improved considerably in the past month and the organizations were all in a prosperous condition.

REITZEL'S BROWN WINDOW A DREAM

Women of La Crosse will have a hard time passing Reitzel's "brown window," which was displayed at their spring opening today, for the first time, without going into ecstasies over the creations which are displayed. There are all shades of brown, from a light tan to a deep chocolate. The display, which was designed and arranged by Mr. Joseph Bartl, is a work of art. It includes most everything and all materials in the popular brown shades. There are pretty pascamentries, elegant trimmings, stripes and plain and a variety which will fill to overflowing the hearts of the feminine lovers of the beautiful in dress goods.

JUDGE SUSTAINS BANK VERDICT

In the case of Sidney A. Stuart as trustee for James Lucky vs. the State Bank of Cuba City, the verdict was sustained yesterday by Judge Fruit. In the case the trustee sued the bank to recover an amount of money alleged to have been paid the bank on a note as a preferred creditor. The case was tried before Judge Fruit a few weeks ago and the plaintiff was awarded \$7,840 by the jury.

Arguments for a re-hearing were made and a new trial was denied.

SPARTA TEAMS TO PLAY HERE TONIGHT

The Sparta girls' and boys' basketball team will play the L. C. H. S. teams this evening. The "kym" will seat about 340. Guard Archie Larson's parents objected and he will not play tonight.

A good world stills great anger.—German.

Parker
JEWELER
310 MAIN ST.

HAVING WHAT PEOPLE WANT

This store is well known for its charming novelties in jewelry. And doesn't having what people want count as much as having the prices right?

The continuously increasing business of this store is but natural. There's no mystery in the methods that are bringing more and more men and women here to trade.

Better service, more dependable goods and having what people want have won.

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JEWELER
310 MAIN ST.
LA CROSSE, WIS.

WASHINGTON STIRRED BY NAME OF CANNON

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At the committee hearing on Thursday, but thrown up their resignation and went home. They gave as the reason the refusal of the committee to permit examination or cross-examination of witnesses by persons other than members of the committee except through written questions first submitted to the committee for its approval.

The Witnesses Sought.

Representative Lilley states that he will assist the committee in every way possible and has designated the witnesses he wishes summoned. They include: Isaac L. Rice, president of the Electric Boat company, to bring with him all the books and accounts showing payments made to attorneys and employees for work performed or to be performed at Washington or any congressional district of the United States; also vouchers, check books and other documents showing checks issued for such employment; also vouchers and memorandums showing payments by Elihu B. Frost for expenses of every kind and character at Washington or elsewhere in promoting legislative appropriations and the procurement of contracts, also all books, vouchers, checks or other evidence of any moneys contributed by Isaac L. Rice personally to the campaign fund of any political party or in any congressional district; Elihu B. Frost, Maurice Barnett, treasurer of the Electric Boat company; August Treadwell, Jr., assistant treasurer; Norman G. Johnson of New York, attorney, and S. S. McNier of this city.

So intense has been the antagonism to this committee and Congressman Lilley that he is being continually followed, so he claims, by detectives who make it their business to watch his every move.

Mr. Lilley is a republican through and through. He was born in Oxford, Mass., in 1859, and was educated in the common schools of Oxford and later had one year at the Worcester Polytechnic Institute. He is a director of the Torrington National bank and has served on the republican state committee since 1901. He was elected to the house of representatives of the Connecticut legislature in 1901, and was elected to the 58th, 59th and 60th congresses.

ACTION TO PROTECT MILL ST. CROSSING

Residents of the North Side were given ample satisfaction last evening when Mayor Wendell A. Anderson had a communication and resolution read by Alderman Keller on the Mill street crossing, which provides that "whereas the Mill street crossing is blocked for unreasonable lengths of time, holding teams, pedestrians and others, and since it is dangerous to life, limb and property, resolved that the location of the switching yards be changed or the tracks crossed by a suitable viaduct or such other provisions made which will remedy the trouble as may be deemed necessary. It was referred to the city attorney.

Those who had called to hear a debate on the crossing were well pleased with the action of the mayor.

THOMPSON HEADS STATE BOTTLERS

C. P. Thompson of La Crosse was elected president of the Wisconsin Bottlers' association at their session in Milwaukee. Mr. Thompson is the only La Crosse man on the official list.

The next annual meeting will again be held at Milwaukee. Several important matters were taken up including the anti-prohibition fight and although no action was taken regarding it the members spoke in favor of the act and wished it success.

DREAMS OF THIEF KILLS WIFE

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Hugh Hollis, a treasury department clerk who came here from Louisville, Ky., and served for a time as private secretary to the commissioner of internal revenue, shot and killed his wife at their home on Newton street today.

His wife had arisen to attend to their child, and as she returned to the bedside Hollis pulled the revolver and fired, instantly killing her. He went to sleep again and says he knew nothing of the shooting until he was awakened. He declares he was dreaming of burglars.

TWINS DOING WELL.

Twins arrived Sunday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McLaren, 325 North Tenth street. The little boys are doing well.

PARK COMMISSION ORDINANCE IS READ

PROVIDES FOR APPOINTMENT OF FOUR COMMISSIONERS

OFFICERS WILL BE HONORARY

City is Divided into Two Districts, and North Side Will Be Taken Care of, Too

Alderman Hirschheimer submitted an ordinance creating a board of park commissioners last night. The park lands in the city were divided into two districts, district No. 1 being below or south of the La Crosse river and district No. 2 being north of the La Crosse river.

The mayor shall appoint with the consent of the council not more than two members of the same political party, a board of four freeholders of the city of La Crosse for one, two, three and four years' term in office respectively. On the third Tuesday in April the man who is to serve but one year goes out and another commissioner is appointed for four years. The mayor may at any time appoint another commissioner in place of one who may resign for the unexpired term.

Meet April 14

The first meeting of the board is to be held on April 14 for the purpose of organizing and electing. The board shall have exclusive control of all the boulevards, parks, and driveways in the city of La Crosse with the exception of Pettibone park, and shall have full power to regulate order upon them such as prohibiting heavy teams to drive in them, and certain regulations for their occupancy. All rules shall however be approved by the council before taking effect.

Each year the commission shall make a report and inventory of property. All money which they receive in subscriptions and otherwise shall be paid to the city treasurer. The board shall not be authorized to contract debts without the consent of the council. The appointments will be honorary as is the case of the police and fire commission.

FIRST HEARING IN MOCK TRIAL

The preliminary investigation of the case of the state of Arizona vs. Lesu Sekoa, alias Russell Oakes, for the crime of grand larceny (to wit—a hog) was held last evening in the West Avenue Brotherhood Court Chambers. The evidence produced showed beyond a reasonable doubt that a hog was stolen upon the evening of December 13, 1907, which occurred upon Friday, and upon the testimony of the Depot Agent, the butcher, the expressman and the freight handler that the prisoner at the bar had accomplished the deed.

The defense have admitted that the defendant had considerable to do with the hog but seek to throw the blame for theft either upon the father of the defendant, whose word as to how he secured the right to the hog is unsupported, or onto an unknown man who as yet seems to be the phantasy of a skillful attorney.

Little is known of the defendant prior to the first of the year but since then he has lived so exemplarily a life that we should be loath indeed to convict him upon circumstantial evidence alone, but in a country where hogs are scarce and men cheap justice must be done at any cost.

The regular trial, to which all the public are cordially invited, will be held upon the next regular meeting night of the Brotherhood of St. Paul of West Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, the second Thursday of April.

A SERMON SERIES, SPECIAL TO WOMEN

Rev. James W. Irish, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church, having previously preached a special series of sermons to men, has now arranged to speak especially to women, all classes of whom will be interested in the subject which will be discussed. The meeting on March 29th will be under the auspices of the Young Women's Christian association. The topics follow:

March 15—"Mothers."
March 22—"Widows."
March 29—"Young Women."
April 5—"Wives."

SKETCH OF Y. M. C. A. FEATURE OF WINDOW

A feature of the unveiling of the windows of the Doerffinger Park Store this evening will be the first sketch of the new Y. M. C. A., which will be on exhibition on the Main street side of the building.

The sketch of the new Y. M. C. A. is a work of art and was just completed today by Messrs. Parkenson and Dockendorf architects. It is 2 1/2 by 3 1/2 and is finished in water colors, making a neat appearance and giving an excellent view of the building as it will appear when completed this fall.

LA CROSSE CLUB MEETING MONDAY

There will be a meeting of the members of the La Crosse club Monday evening for the purpose of passing upon the installation of a dining room.

BUYS PROPERTY.

Mrs. S. J. de Ramtz has purchased the property located at 414 South Ninth street from Mrs. Philip Augusta Schmidt.

For the Athlete



ALL athletes know that the element in any contest, upon which success most depends, is endurance; but few realize that endurance is dependent more on a perfectly toned system than on muscle.

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Report of the Condition of the State Bank of La Crosse

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS FEBRUARY 14, 1908

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$672,303.80
Overdrafts	170.31
U. S. and other bonds and securities ..	74,053.50
Banking house and fixtures	8,000.00
In reserve banks	182,989.27
Cash in vault	98,700.54
Total	\$1,037,217.42
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock	\$50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	8,916.25
Deposits	928,301.17
Total	\$1,037,217.42

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SUNDAY MARCH 15th AFTERNOON AND EVENING

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PROBLEM OF THE IMMIGRANT TOPIC

REV. ALBERT L. WOOD READS A PAPER BEFORE UNION

MAGNITUDE OF THE PROBLEM

Is Scarcely Realized, Says Pastor of North Side Methodist Church in Instructive Article

Rev. Albert Louis Wood, pastor of the North Side Methodist Episcopal church at the last meeting of the La Crosse Pastors' union, Monday, March 9, read the following interesting paper on the topic, "The Problem of the Immigrant," which was ordered published by unanimous vote:

"It is interesting to note, in the light of subsequent history, how few of the earlier American statesmen had an adequate conception of the wonderful possibilities for growth afforded by the vast and varied domain of the new republic. The main argument brought against the Louisiana Purchase was that the territory already owned by the United States was sufficient for all possible needs; and the western plains were spoken of as a hopeless and irrecoverable wilderness, destined to be forever the haunt of the red man and the lair of the wild beast.

"But the call of the wild came so appealingly and irresistibly to some of the hardier inhabitants of the eastern states that, even before the revolution, Kenton, Williams, Boone and others had effected considerable settlements in Tennessee, Kentucky, Indiana and Michigan, and forerunners of the mighty throngs that were to come later until the wilderness and the solitary places should be glad for them and the desert should rejoice and blossom as the rose," had already probed into some of the mysteries of the further west.

"The history of the exploration, settlement and development of this territory is one of the most romantic chapters in all the annals of the faring forth of the children of Israel, and its influence on the destiny of human-kind bids fair to be almost as wide and permanent.

"The epic which, one day, some American Homer, Virgil or Milton will indite will not treat of treasurers, strategists and spoils, nor will its central figures be demi-gods, nor heroes famed for military prowess; but the interest will center in men rude of speech, perhaps, of simple life and of coarse habit, but who felt the charm of the virgin forests, saw the possibilities lying dormant in the untamed prairies, or yearned for the wealth that God had hidden in the mountains' depth, and so went forth to stamp the impress of their strong characters upon nascent empires and to do Titanic work in the evolution of commonwealths whose wealth should far surpass that of Ophir and of Ind whose civilization should outshine 'the grandeur that was Greece and glory that was Rome.'

"The close of the revolutionary war found a diversified population already here. There was the Dutch

element strong in New York and its environs. In New York, Virginia and the Carolinas were the French Huguenots. The English, Scotch, Irish and Welsh were dominating figures everywhere, while the German Moravians in Pennsylvania were a force to be reckoned with. The Louisiana Purchase added the Spanish element and increased ten-fold the French contingent. With these as nuclei, extensive immigration was a foregone conclusion.

"Two sets of forces contributed most largely to bring hither the vast hordes that flocked to our shores. First, the industrial depression and social unrest in Europe. The Napoleonic wars had paralyzed industry; military service and taxes grew burdensome in the extreme, and escape from the only conditions of life there possible became the dream of the best and strongest hearts from the sun-kissed shores of the Mediterranean to the ice-girt coasts of Norway, and from the islands of the west to the plains of Moscovy. Second, the possibilities, material, social and religious afforded by the new world. It was pictured as a veritable Eldorado, where every man was the peer of his fellows, one of whose inspired poets was, in later years, to write:

"We grant no dukedoms to the few. We hold like rights and shall Equal on Sunday in the pew, On Monday in the Mall."

"For what avail the plow or sail or land or life, if freedom fail? And, above all, to the best souls it afforded a haven where man might worship his God according to the dictates of his conscience.

And so they came, men of diverse speech, with no common history to bind them together, of different political faiths and of divergent creeds, a heterogeneous mass, to be molded by the wonderful influences of our civilization into a homogeneous unit. From decade to decade the yearly number of arrivals at our various ports increased, with the exception of the decade of the civil war until now approximately three-quarters of a million yearly are coming to our shores. In the year 1900 there were over 10,000,000 foreign born persons in the United States.

Still, up to within the last decade or two, we heard little or nothing of the foreign peril. The spasm of Know-Nothingism, in the fifties, was short lived and of little effect in influencing public opinion. The question of states rights, the slavery question, the conduct of the civil war, the problems of the reconstruction period, monopolized public attention, and it was only the outbreaks of anarchy in their various centers and the appearance of so-called German-American, Scandinavian-American and Irish-American factions in the leading political parties that led us first to wonder whether our policy of benevolent assimilation had been as flawless and as efficient as we had fondly dreamed.

Then the sociologist, the political economist and the philanthropist began their investigations. They learned that we had been criminally careless. The scrutiny to which the immigrant was subjected at Castle Garden had been perfunctory in the extreme. True, the worthy had come in preponderating numbers to engage in reputable business, to avail themselves of the privileges of the homestead laws, to join themselves to the army of earnest workers; but with them had come those diseased of body, weak of mind, vicious of habit, criminal, pauperized outcasts from the slums of Europe, who hid themselves to the cities, allied themselves with anarchistic groups, became patrons and, in innumerable instances the proprietors of saloons and availed themselves of the right of suffrage only that they might prostitute it to the lowest ends; became the enemies of good government and furnished the vital and interesting problem of the immigrant.

Whatever is to be said in this or in any discussion of this question, ought to be with the fact ever in mind that we are all of foreign extraction. Who of us can go back more than a generation or two before he finds that his ancestors were subjects of some foreign government? Living thus in glass houses, we must not throw stones. But let us keep in mind that from every land have come the good and the bad. A frank discussion of this question is not, necessarily, a reflection upon any particular people. We may note with impartial fairness the great debt which we owe to the English-speaking portion of our population and yet take cognizance of the fact that the Cockney is the leader and the menace in the Tenderloin district of every large city and that the Irishman is not altogether lovely in his open allegiance to corruption and graft. The German under the leadership of Sigel, Schurz and their colleagues won the gratitude of the nation in the 60's. In the main he was a good citizen, but we must not lose sight of his connection with the saloon business and of his dislike of certain cherished American institutions. It is authoritatively stated that there are 500,000 Italians in New York city. Of these 99 per cent are said to be law-abiding and industrious citizens. Yet the paltry 1 per cent can terrorize their fellows and are a perennial, if not a pleasing problem, for the police of the metropolis.

The problem of the immigrant must be reached from two standpoints. In the first place we must use prophylactic or preventive measures. We still need immigrants. Our resources are scarcely advanced beyond the initial stage of development. But we must insist that standards, both physical and moral, be raised. We have room and to spare for those who come to enter upon lives of frugality and industry; who desire for themselves and for their children the blessings of a free country; who do not mistake a license for liberty; and who are minded to become Americans in fact as well as in name. But we have no room for the physically degenerate or the mentally unsound, this must no longer

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be a haven for the criminal and the anarchist.

The examination at Ellis Island, however rigid, is not sufficient. That should be maintained, but the candidate for American citizenship should continue to be examined as to his fitness before he leaves his homeland. He should supply the nearest United States consular agent with fuller evidences of his fitness in every respect to add to the sum total of our assets.

Next, there should be some method devised for distributing the immigrants with regard to the demand for labor. Why should the New York tenements be crowded to suffocation while the farmers of the south and west appeal in vain for helpers with their crops? Why should not properly qualified officials, who could have full information as to opportunities afforded in different localities, be given reasonable jurisdiction in determining the residence of the newly-arrived immigrant?

There should, in addition, be stricter surveillance through the probationary period, during which time, should the immigrant become a public charge or be convicted of a crime, he can be deported and forbidden to return to these shores. And lastly, the study of the English language and a familiarity with the elements of civil government and of American history should be made prerequisites of citizenship.

In the second place, curative measures should be taken. The unassimilated foreigner is here. It is a condition, not a theory, with which we deal. He is here with his foreign speech and customs. He is here of his own volition, yet, unmindful of his duties as a guest, he seeks to rob us of some of our most cherished institutions. He is here with his anarchy and his beer, with his defiance of law, his disregard of the Sabbath and his other failings, and the question is, What can we do?

Bill Nye wrote to the servant girl who objected to his children: "If you had told us years ago, Wilhelm, that you could not abide children, all would have been well. But the law restrains us from killing our offspring and the neighbors would object if we locked them in the barn. But if you will come back and work for us, Wilhelm, and cast the sunshine of your presence upon our humble home for \$5 per, we will teach them to love and respect you and to live as much like Christians as children can." There is an analogy here. We have no desire to kill off our undesirable citizens, nor should we lock them all up, but the law provides means whereby they may be compelled to act, outwardly at least, in a more Christlike manner than they have been wont to do.

And first we must insist upon a greater reverence for the law. But here we must recognize the fact that the conditions which have made of our lawlessness are native. In their own minds these people, in the main, recognize the sovereignty of the law. Its enforcement is swift and relentless. Infringement of the statute was followed by the infliction of the penalty. Here they behold too often a partisan judiciary overthrowing justice through bias and on the ground of technicality. Repeatedly, "the worse is made appear the better reason." Here they see a corrupt jury system manipulated so that the guilty go unpunished and the innocent suffer. The raids of the predatory rich, the corruptness of our political life, the looseness of our social relations, the gambling element in commerce all suggest to the new arrival that our laws were made but to be ignored. The line of moral cleavage is downward and he finds it easy to follow the footsteps of the crowd. What we need is a revival of law enforcement that shall work from center to circumference, that shall insure a square deal all around. We need a revision of our practice act that shall redeem our judiciary absolutely from all partisan and corporate influence and that shall reform it, indeed it does not abolish, our present jury system. If we do our duty, we will find the foreign element falling into line for, I repeat, by nature and by habit they are law abiding people.

Secondly, we ought to restore the Bible to a place of honor in the curricula of our schools. Aside from the fact that we are avowedly a Christian nation, we need that our people, both native and foreign born, should become acquainted with that matchless depository of Anglo-Saxon, King James' Version of the Holy Scriptures. It is folly for our children to be asked to study the dramas of Shakespeare and deny to them the perusal of the greatest drama, Job. If they are to read the epigrams of Bacon and the philosophy of Franklin, why not the Proverbs of Solomon? If the secular poets are to edify them, why should they not know the beauty of David's songs? If the history of other peoples is to be read, why not let them have at first hand the history of the most fertile and influential and peculiar people that the world has ever known, the Israelites? And if oratory, Ancient or Modern, is to be studied, why discriminate against Paul's speech upon Mars Hill and against the matchless Sermon on the Mount? As an indoctrinator of high ideals, as a civilizing, yes, as an Americanizing influence, the Bible would stand with scarce a peer.

We should redeem from their present sorry plight, by whatever means may be necessary, the Red Letter Days of our calendar year that have

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And all other law-breaking individuals or organizations who put forth the specious plea of personal liberty, and insist on retaining here the vicious practices of their native lands, should be taught that if time honored and righteous American customs are distasteful to them, there is naught to hinder a speedy return to the lands of their birth, but that if they remain it must be with the understanding that all our laws, until repealed, must be obeyed.

And lastly, and for the greater part, the burden of solving the immigrant problem rests upon the Christian church. What an opportunity is hers! She has prayed that avenues might be opened to her for the evangelization of the world. Lo! Here at her doors are the unchurched masses. The trial of our faith is upon us. It is for the church of the Living God to decide whether we shall meet this menace and transform it into a golden means that shall crown with victory the gospel

His praise.

And in those same sessions I have sat with saddened heart, with a blush of shame upon my cheek, while the presiding elders have reported that here and there work has been abandoned because of the incoming of large numbers of foreigners and that through the same cause our work in many places is sadly hampered.

Why should we, how dare we pray for the conversion of the world and send our money and our men to evangelize in foreign lands and then throw up our hands in humiliating surrender on the first contact with the forces of darkness here at our base of influence and supplies?

If Christianity will save the Mongolian in Asia, it will save him on the Pacific coast. If the missions to France, to Spain and Italy succeed in freeing men from the blight of atheism there, then we can win success in New York, in Chicago, in New Orleans.

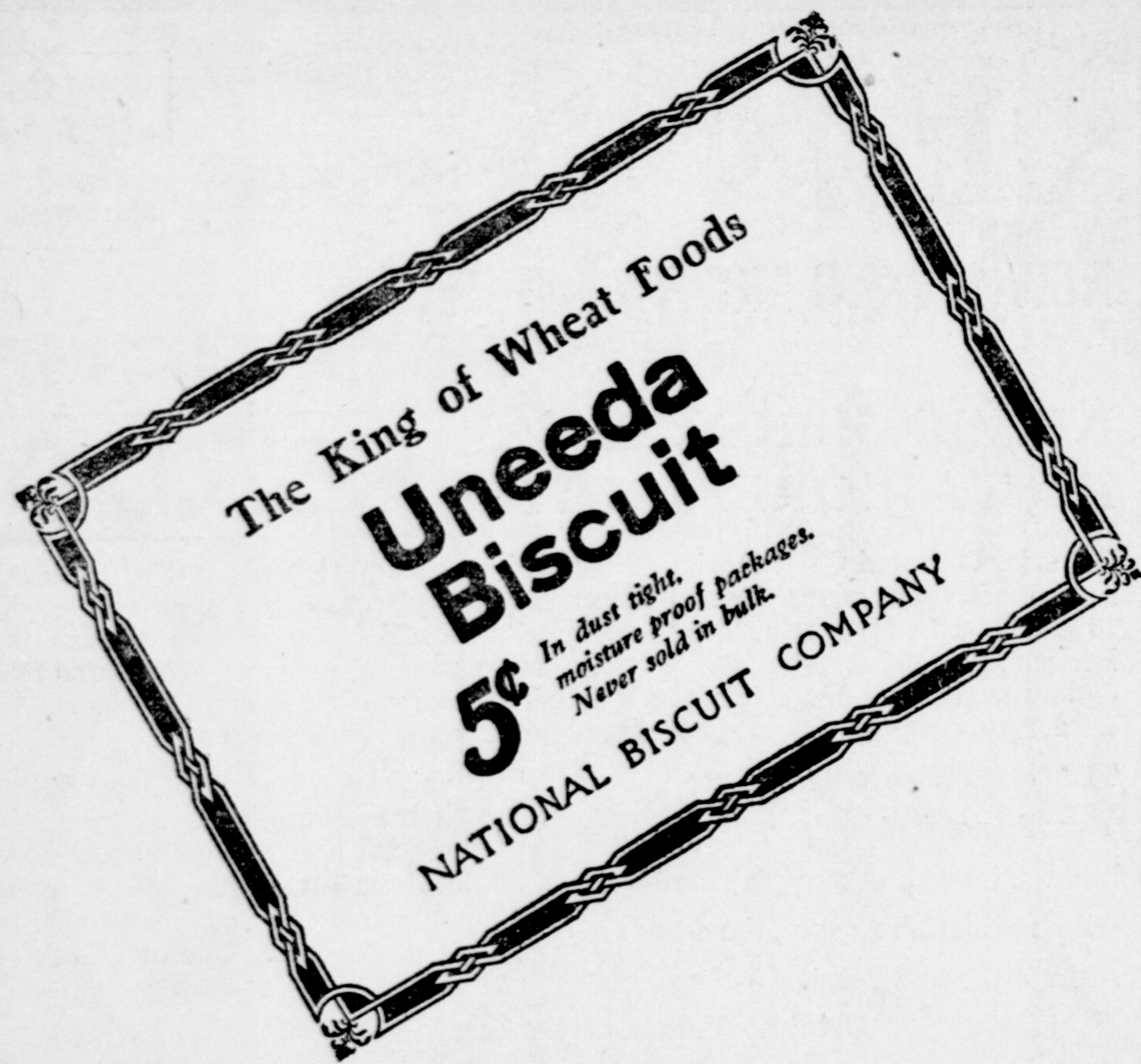
Give Christianity a chance. Let

the Bible be read and the Gospel be preached and lived and the problem of the immigrants, together with all the problems that perplex and all the ills that vex the body politic will disappear.

GIVEN UP TO DIE

B. Spiegel, 1204 N. Virginia St., Evansville, Ind., writes: "For over five years I was troubled with kidney and bladder affections which caused me much pain and worry. I lost flesh and was all run down, and a year ago had to abandon work entirely. I had three of the best physicians who did me no good and I was practically given up to die. Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended and the first bottle gave me great relief, and after taking the second bottle I was entirely cured." Why not let it help you? O. T. Erhart.

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DUAL TRAGEDY ENACTED IN
PUBLIC AT OSKALOOSA

PANIC ATTENDS SHOOTING

Lee Grubb Kills Wife and Ends His
Own Life, but Fails to
Slay Baby

OSKALOOSA, Ia., March 14.—Deliberate murder, attempted infanticide and suicide committed at a crowded street corner of the city at 8:30 o'clock Thursday evening created a panic in the business portion of the city.

Lee Grubb, a well-known man about town, twenty-four years old, shot and killed his young wife, aged seventeen, and attempted to kill their six-months-old infant sleeping in the baby cab.

The trio had just left a corner store after discussing some troubles. Without any warning Grubb drew a revolver from his coat pocket, pressed it against his wife's head and fired. Without a word the girl fell to the pavement, dead.

Grubb fired a second shot intending to kill the baby, but Mrs. Wiley, a friend of the murderer's victim, snatched the infant from the cab at the first flash of the gun, and the second ball struck the young wife as she fell to the walk. Grubb, who had said not a word, then turned the gun against his own head, pulled the trigger and fell to the walk beside his dead wife. He died within a few moments.

Shots Caused Panic.
The tragedy occurred on the busiest corner of the city at a time when the streets were thronged with theatergoers. At the first flash of the gun the people fled right and left, but before the crowd could get away three shots had been fired and the couple were dead.

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GASOLINE CLAIMS ANOTHER VICTIM

WATERLOO, Ia., March 14.—William H. Munger, a resident of Independence, Iowa, fifty years old, died from burns received the preceding day. At noon Mr. Munger entered the place alone and started a fire in the heating stove. He doused the contents of a can supposed to contain kerosene over the fuel and applied a match. The liquid was gasoline and an explosion sent the flames over Mr. Munger's garments. He was severely burned, but lingered twenty-four hours.

FATE FOLLOWS WITNESSES.

DEADWOOD, S. D., March 14.—Strange fate is pursuing the witnesses in the famous Farnham murder trial, the last instance being the sudden death at Lake City, Colo., of Peter Baird. In 1905 Eli P. Farnham, then manager of one of the local mining properties, was accused of having shot and killed Dick Galvin, an employee, but after a sensational trial he was acquitted.

A few weeks after the trial ended, W. C. Torrence, who had testified for Farnham, was struck and killed by lightning during a storm here. Two weeks later his brother, L. V. Torrence, also a witness for the defense, was drowned while fording the river near Belle Fourche. Now Peter Baird, another witness for Farnham, has met his death by drinking water that was proved to be poisoned.

MURDERED GIRL; KIDNAPPED.

RAPID CITY, S. D., March 14.—Another tragic element in the killing of Rose Adams, the seventeen-year-old school girl, by her adopted mother, Mrs. Mary Harbour of this city, came to light with the arrival of the dead girl's own father, Dominic Rosso of Minneapolis, and his son-in-law, John Rone of the same place. Rosso first learned of the sensational death of his daughter through the newspapers, and for the first time in nearly seventeen years was able to learn the whereabouts of the child who, he claims, was kidnapped.

TAKEN FOR MOOSE; KILLED

BAUDETTE, Minn., March 14.—Peter Larson, while at work clearing east of Rapid river, was accidentally shot on Tuesday through the abdomen by a homesteader named Wingren.

Wingren had tracked a moose and, seeing an object in the thick forest, fired two shots. One missed, and the other struck Larson, who died before medical aid could reach him. Wingren gave himself up to the authorities.

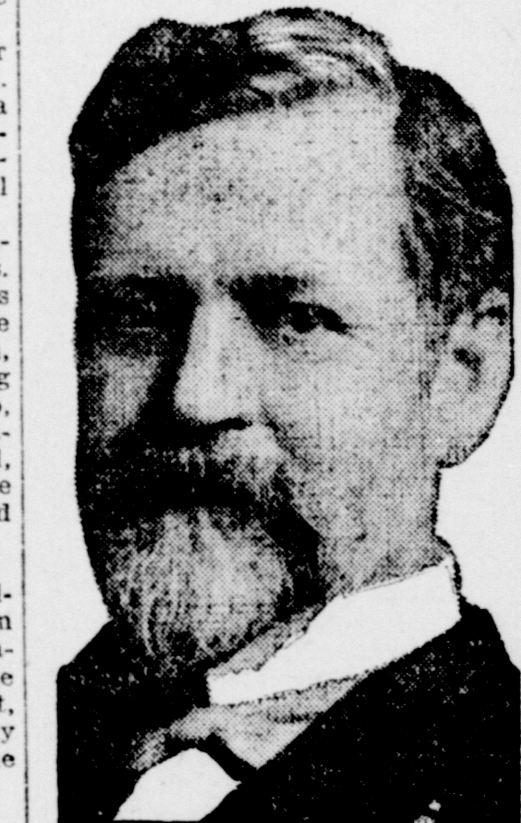
HOLD TOWN AT BAY.

SIoux CITY, Ia., March 14.—Safe blowers attempted to crack the safe in the Chatsworth Savings bank at Chatsworth, Iowa, thirty-five miles northwest of here, but were scared away before they completed the job. The men held the crowd at bay at the point of their guns until they made their getaway.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., March 14.—Iowa is noted for sending strong men to Washington, also for keeping strong men in place after once choosing them. In line with both portions of her record is the story of John Albert Tiffin Hull, representing the city of Des Moines and six Iowa counties in the house of representatives. He commenced his career in the 52d congress and has served nine continuous terms. Prior thereto he was secretary of state for six years and lieutenant governor of Iowa for four years. In private life he combines the dual talents of the farmer and the banker. His home is in Des Moines. He is another of those veterans of the civil war to whose glory stands the record of splendid martial achievement.

She—"Of course women are more graceful than men." He—"They can't prove it by getting off street cars."

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"Far back in my childhood I hold pleasant memories of the coffee berry in its natural state, and its grateful aroma when roasting over the kitchen fire" writes a venerable N. H. lady.

"Although the old house is gone and a new one stands in its place, I often see in my dreams the little coffee grinder by the window, and grind again the coffee for breakfast."

"But time passed on and the pleasure of indulgence in coffee was wholly lost in the ill effects on my nervous system. I was troubled with frequent and severe spells of headache which sadly interfered with my work."

"My sleep was less sound than formerly and nighttime often disturbed my fitful slumbers, until at last insomnia held me in its relentless grasp. I would lie awake nearly all night."

"Other troubles set in until I was pronounced incurable by several of our best physicians. They all prohibited the use of coffee. I was indeed like one under the spell of the drink habit, but I obeyed implicitly my medical advisers, for I had become a great sufferer."

"A friend who had been greatly benefited by changing from coffee to Postum, gave me a cup of this health beverage to try. I found its flavor pleasant, while at the same time it agreed with me perfectly; in fact, seemed just what was needed to build me up."

"I ordered some at once, but was disappointed to find mine did not taste like my friend's—I had not boiled it long enough. After I had learned this fact and made my Postum according to directions I had uniform, satisfactory results."

"Well, to make a long story short, I seemed to have found Ponce de Leon's fountain of youth, for my friends remarked that I was growing young. My mind became clearer and more vigorous, and I took up the work which I had reluctantly laid aside, and much more with it."

"If my case was incurable, as the good doctors had said, I had at least found something to allay my insomnia sufferings, and serve for real nourishment when appetite failed. Nearly five years have passed since I drank my first cup of Postum and I am as much in love with it today as ever." "There's a Reason."

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Society Woman who Revealed Hiding
Place on Immunity Promise

SIoux CITY, Ia., March 14.—The famous Thibbitts diamonds, which mysteriously disappeared on the night of the sudden death of Mrs. Charlotte M. Thibbitts, on May 18, 1906, and for which an unceasing search has since been made, have been found.

A month ago Charles Meyers, executor of the estate, obtained a clue that the jewels, valued at \$4,000 or \$5,000, were in the possession of a prominent Sioux City society woman. The woman was confronted with the evidence, and on obtaining a promise that she would not be prosecuted told where they could be found in a safety deposit vault of the Security National bank.

None of the valuables was missing. They were in the same leather bag in which they had always been kept by Mrs. Thibbitts.

According to the terms of the deceased woman's will, the jewels will be distributed among relatives in Sioux City, Los Angeles and England.

NORTHWEST IN BRIEF

MILES CITY, Mont.—The saloon men of Miles City have organized and raised the price of all beer to 15 cents. They also managed to have an ordinance passed that no more than the present number of saloons, sixteen, shall exist in the town until the population passes the 12,000 mark, and then only one for each 750 additional population.

FERGUS FALLS, Minn.—The Gem theatre in this city caught fire and the front portion of the building was destroyed. Fire is supposed to have caught from electric wires. F. G. Troppman's general store, adjoining it, was somewhat damaged by smoke and water.

WATERLOO, Ia.—While playing near his home, Wednesday, Lewis Powers, 6-year-old son of Dr. F. W. Powers, was hit on the head with a piece of cement thrown playfully by a companion. Several stitches were taken to close the wound. The boy was attended by his father.

IOWA FALLS, Ia.—The first result in Northern Iowa of the agitation of the union of churches has just developed at Estherville, where the Free Baptist and the Regular Baptist churches have formed a federation and will meet and work as one organization. The union is to remain effective for three years and then may be discontinued or renewed. Rev. A. C. Droz of the Free Baptist church is to be the pastor of the newly federated church.

YANKTON, S. D.—The Yankton Printing company, publishers of the Press and the Dakotan and the Freie Presse, has sold the later paper to F. W. Sallett, former owner of the Sioux Falls Herald. Sallett intends to move the paper in a few months to another city. The price was \$25,000.

SIoux FALLS, S. D.—The town council of De Smet has enacted an ordinance which makes it unlawful for any boy under the age of eighteen years to be allowed to remain in a poolroom or play the game unless accompanied by parent or guardian. The ordinance provides that the penalty can be imposed upon the proprietor of any poolroom who permits boys under eighteen to play pool or remain in his place of business, as well as upon the boy who violates the provisions of the ordinance.

PARK HATFIELD WATER FRONT WELL

It is announced that the La Crosse Water Power company intends to park the entire shore line about the newly created lake at Hatfield. The length of water front following the various indentations, bays, and coves, measures over 20 miles, all high shore, with many beautiful groves of pine and oak.

A fine continuous driveway is planned around the lake, crossing the river at Hatfield and again below DeSmet dam. Brush and scrubby timber will be removed, and the entire tract comprising about 1000 acres further beautified under the direction of a competent landscape artist.

Lots and acreage properties, with shore rights, will then be offered to the public at very reasonable prices, subject only to regulations regarding the care and preservation of the standing timber and park features.

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A short life and a merry one means a short life and a sad one for our children.

Make a living first; make love afterward.

The man who believes a woman can't keep a secret should ask her age.

The only way to overcome any evil is to fight it; if you try to put it behind you it will stab you in the back.

The man who thinks the world is growing worse is generally the man who has just acquired a little fresh wickedness.

It doesn't take much of an artist to draw comparisons between himself and others.

NOT A PARTICLE OF SKIN ON BODY

Worst Case of Eczema Doctor Had Seen in 40 Years—For Six Months Father Expected His Baby to Die—Blood Boiled Out All Over Her Body—Had to Be Wrapped in Silk and Carried on a Pillow—Now She Is Perfectly Cured.

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"I used every known remedy to alleviate her suffering, for it was terrible to witness. Dr. C. gave her up and then I went to C. F. and got Dr. B. and he and Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment saved her. He recommended the Cuticura Remedies, or said we were right in making use of them. As nearly as I can remember, we used eight cakes of Cuticura Soap and three boxes of Cuticura Ointment; but you must take into consideration that there was an exceptional case, for an old and good doctor said that it was the worst case that had come to him in forty years. I have always hinged on Cuticura Soap to keep her skin soft and to give her a pure complexion. James J. Smith, Wood and Metal Pattern Maker, Box 234, Buena Vista, Va., Oct. 14 and 22, 1906."

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ANOKA, Minn., March 14.—J. Fross, an aged G. A. R. man, who came to Anoka with his wife a year ago, was committed to the asylum at St. Peter two weeks ago. He and his wife had lived happily together nearly sixty years, but because he acted queerly neighbors became afraid and the old man was sent away. It nearly broke his heart, and his wife was prostrated. Arriving at St. Peter the man refused to eat or drink, and doctors agreed he surely would pine away because of homesickness. His wife, getting an inkling of the matter, made her way

alone, old and feeble though she is, to the asylum. The two are to be made happy by a parole.

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WAR VETS. GRAND REUNION.

GREEN BAY, Wis., March 14.—(Special.)—The Green Bay German war veterans are already making elaborate plans for the entertainment of the state convention of Krieger Vereins on June 20, 21 and 22. This

will be the ninth annual reunion. More than 1,000 visitors will be in Green Bay during the three days.

STURGEON BAY GOAL OF RACE.

STURGEON BAY, Wis., March 14.—(Special.)—This port may be made the goal of the famous Columbia Yacht club's annual race out of Chicago next summer. The local power boat club is planning to entertain the Chicago sportsmen and if their invitation is accepted, the race will be run in three relays, stops to be made at Milwaukee, Manitowish and Sturgeon Bay. After finishing the yachts will cruise in these waters for two weeks.

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WISCONSIN NEWS

STATE BANKS IN EXCELLENT SHAPE

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT FOR
TEN WEEKS' BUSINESS

\$16 CLEARING HOUSE CHECKS

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Big Issue During the Late
Financial Stress

MADISON, Wis., March 14.—A healthy financial condition is shown in the state banks of Wisconsin by the compilation of reports issued by Commissioner of Banking M. C. Bergh. The reports were of the condition of business at the close of Feb. 14, and comparison is made with the last report, on Dec. 3, covering a period of substantially ten weeks. While there is an apparent volume of business on the books of the banks, there is a real gain of a small amount when it is considered that by the nationalization of the Merchant's bank of Watertown a volume of \$800,000 of business was removed from the state bank report, and the further fact that nearly \$1,000,000 of clearing house certificates were taken out of circulation is another fact to be considered in making the comparison.

The report shows total resources of \$123,047,442, as against \$124,222,751, on Dec. 3. Loans and discounts decreased from \$83,075,858 to \$81,153,065. Clearing house certificates outstanding Dec. 3, 1907, were 654,097. On Feb. 14 they were only \$16.

INSANE; ATTEMPTS TO KILL FAMILY

LIVINGSTON, Wis., March 14.—Robert Graham, 19 years of age, has been committed to the state asylum for the insane at Mendota following a murderous attack on his father and his brother Charles, in which the former was shot twice and slightly wounded. While the father was talking to his wife, the son suddenly fired twice at him from a bedroom door not five feet away. The father succeeded in holding the boy, and his cries brought his other son, at whom the assailant fired two shots, both of which missed. The boy was finally overpowered and disarmed.

PURCHASES RARE FUR.

OCONTO, Wis., March 14.—(Special.)—J. Ullman of Oconto has purchased a valuable silver grey fox skin from John Davis, an Iron Mountain farmer. The skin is very valuable, and after it is tanned, Mr. Ullman expects to sell it to a fur house for more than \$250. The fur is one of the finest specimens ever seen in northern Wisconsin, being in prime condition, a beautiful silver gray in color, with a long, bushy tail, coal black and tipped with a pure white end. The hide measures 42 inches from tip to tip. The fox was caught by placing poison in a chicken coop.

MONSTER WOLF KILLED.

CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., March 14.—What is believed to be the largest wolf killed in Wisconsin was slain in the town of Ruby by Henry Walter. The wolf measured 6 feet 4 inches from tip to tip, and weighed 140 pounds. Walter came across the carcass of a deer in the woods and set traps around it. Next morning he found the giant wolf and four wildcats trapped. Walter brought the scalps of the wolf and wildcats here and received \$44 in bounties.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

APPLETON—Black Creek farmers are losing many horses on account of an epidemic of glanders.
BELOIT—Dr. Alma J. Frisby of the state board of control is in the city investigating the lives of the five boys who were sent to the reformatory from Judge Rosa's court recently, and seeking facts that may be used in a motion to parole them.

CHIPPEWA FALLS—The police have learned that there exists an organized gang of boys who almost nightly, for the last six months, have committed some depredation. Efforts to break up the gang have thus far proved unsuccessful. The latest prank is to change switch light signals and vidette freight trains which stop at the bottom of grades. Recently a long freight train was uncoupled into three parts, and the engineer took one section several miles before noticing the break.

KENOSHA—Kenosha is going to be the cleanest town in the state for the next two weeks. More than 100 aliens have been put to work at the order of the present democratic administration, and it is charged that the men are put to work for the effect it will have on the primary.

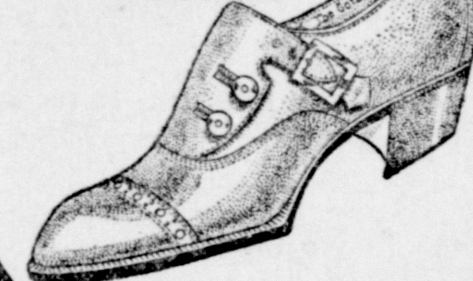
EAU CLAIRE—Robert A. Long will plant over 2,000 trees this spring at Midway park, between this city and Chippewa Falls. A vaudeville house may be established, and the park will be so improved, as to become a popular pleasure resort.

WAUSAU—Chief of Police Thomas Malone recently received a letter with the message, "I have 'you spotted,' and signed 'Black Hand.' He suspected that it had been sent by a friend and discovered later that was the case.

SUPERIOR—Chief Johnson of the fire department has recommended that the 1,200 pupils in the Blaine high school be decreased by 300, holding that it is dangerous to have so many in the school.

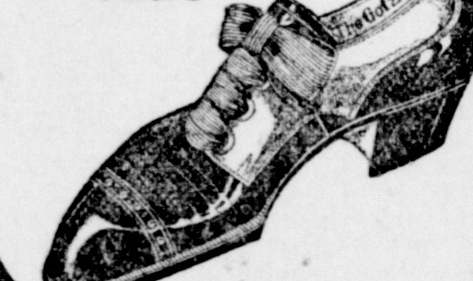
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Sheriff Finds That Outside Aid Was
Given, After All of His Birds
Had Flown

MONROE, Wis., March 14.—Every prisoner in the jail here escaped during the night. A kit of burglar's tools was found by the jailor. How they came there has not been learned. The delivery was evidently made possible by outside help.

The principal captive was Harry Parnell of Chicago, charged with stealing furs from the Ward & Knezel warehouse in Brodhead. The other prisoners were a number of vagrants.

Sheriff M. C. Durst has found no trace.

Green county and Sheriff Durst join in offering a reward of \$200 for the capture of Harry Parnell.

PIONEER OF STATE DIES.

NEW MUNSTER, Wis., March 14.—(Special.)—After suffering for five weeks alternately from blood poisoning and heart disease, Joseph Althoff, Sr., an old resident, is dead. He cut his knee on a buzz saw two months ago, and the consequent suffering is said by physicians to be the worst their experience has recorded.

PROBE FREIGHT RATES.

OSHKOSH, Wis., March 14.—(Special.)—Wednesday, March 18, will be a big day for shippers of Wisconsin, for a special representa-

tive of the interstate commerce commission will be here to hear charges of alleged excessive freight rates. Fifteen railroads are involved.

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S. W. TEACHERS IN SESSION.

MADISON, Wis., March 14.—(Special.)—Prominent educators from many states addressed the annual convention of the Southern Wisconsin Teachers' association this morning. Officers for the ensuing year were elected just before adjournment at noon.

FOX HUNTS BECOME RAGE.

DURAND, Wis., March 14.—(Special.)—Fox hunts, patterned after

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the British sport, are all the rage in this vicinity, and tomorrow the kennels will be let loose in the woods in chase of a red fox that has been prowling about the heuneries for some weeks. Nick Schumaker's hound took first prize in the hunt a month ago.

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BERTHA BURTON, EDITOR.

I CAN'T!

To everything you asked of Tom, He always said, "I can't!" And one fine day there came to him A present from his aunt. It was a parrot, gayly clad In white, and red, and green. Tom said so fine a bird as his Had never yet been seen.

He bought a cage, a splendid cage, And placed the bird within; He tried to make his parrot talk, But not a word could win.

All sulky there the bird did sit; A week passed by, and more; But not a single word he said; Of all he'd learned before.

"Oh, Polly, speak!" cried Tom one day. His boon the bird did grant; And, opening wide his mouth, he cried: "I can't! I can't! I can't!"

A CHAT WITH THE EDITOR.

My Dear Juniors: Doesn't it seem nice to think it is near spring time. Why, even now we can hear the little birds chirping and almost see the grass peeping up. Oh, I hope we won't have any more bad weather, but of course we mustn't count too strongly on not having any more snow storms.

I wonder if any of my Juniors remember back as far as the spring of 1893—if they don't perhaps their mothers and fathers can—when on May the 8th of that year we had a big fall of snow. But of course I don't think that will happen this spring, and it won't be long now before all of the Juniors will be out having the nice picnics of which they speak so lovingly. Lots of letters have come in this week, nice interesting ones too, and it is so nice for all of you to read about the other's homes and the good times you have had in them. I hoped that some of you would write and tell me what you thought about that little girl that thought she couldn't tell the teacher who threw the ink bottle; but it seems as if you have forgotten that.

I was very glad to hear from so many of you and hope that many more will write this next week. The topic will be "A Pleasant Journey." You may write of any trip which you may have taken or you may make up any nice story of a trip—one thing though, it must be your own and written by yourself. A nice book will be given for the best story ON THIS SUBJECT, "A Pleasant Journey." Wishing you all the best of success, I am

Your loving friend,

BERTHA BURTON.

La Crosse, Wis., March 7, 1908.

Kind Miss Burton:

This will be about a place in Wisconsin, where we lived three years. There were a row of nice green trees in front of the house and a row of trees in the yard; it was so nice and shady there.

One day papa built a bench between the trees for us children, and when the day was beautifully warm we would play school or house by the bench and the neighbors' children would come over and play with us and most of the other children. We had lots of fun anyway, and when it would be colder in the evening we would play hide and go seek and other games. Our yard was filled with children most every evening, and sometimes mamma would let us have little parties there. Some of the children that played with us have gone away and one boy is dead, and others have grown so big I hardly know them when I met them.

Oh, how we hated to move away from there, but the place was sold and the place we moved to my sister Ernel told me about when she writes. I was very much surprised to see Sadie's letter in the paper but I am glad she wrote anyway. I hope she will write again.

From your sunshiner,

HAZEL WOODEN.

(This is a good description.)

My Dear Miss Burton:

As this is my first letter you can not expect a very long one.

My home is in Hibbing, Minn., but I am visiting in Trempealeau. I am going to school for the time that I am here. I like to go very much and I am in third grade.

It was quite lonesome at first down here all alone, but I like it better now. I think I will go home when school is out, as I am anxious to see my brothers and sister. Wishing all the Juniors success, I remain

Your loving junior,

MABEL MASON.

Trempealeau, Wis.

Age 8.

(How we would have liked to have heard from this little girl's home in Hibbing.)

Dear Miss Burton:

I will write a few lines about trials at school. Geography is one of my hardest

studies and I do not favor arithmetic as much as I do the rest of my studies.

We had examinations last Thursday and Friday. Our teacher allows us to read library books after we have learned our lessons.

I go to school every day and do not stay out unless it is necessary. Our teacher's name is Miss Grane, and I like her very much. I will close for this time. So good-bye.

Your friend and sunshiner,

VERNICE PAQUETTE.

P. S.—You made a mistake last time and put me on the "blues" instead of the "reds." ("Trials at School" was last week's subject—Vernice is a week behind.)

Dear Miss Burton:

It was so late when I wrote last time that I did not send my letter in. I will write a story about a nice picnic.

Once on the Fourth of July our Sunday school had a picnic at French Island. When we got there we put up swings, and hammocks and played games. We played for a while and then it was time for dinner. After dinner a few of us went boat riding. We rowed for quite a ways and were just going fine, when we struck a sandbar. We tried and tried to get out until some of the others who were at our picnic came and helped us out. Then we rowed back to the park. Although we were tired, we had a very nice time.

Your Junior,

LAURA SCHOLBERG.

1116 Berlin street. "A Nice Picnic" was the subject about two months ago. I wonder if Laura read my letter and knew that the topic this week was "Dear Old Homes."

Dear Miss Burton:

I thought that I would write a few lines to the Junior page. I liked the Junior story of last week; and think the Juniors are doing pretty well. I like to read all their letters. I think the "blues" are doing very well indeed. I always wait for the paper on Saturday. Sometimes it doesn't come until quite late.

Well, I guess that is all for this time.

Your loving junior,

MABEL REHFUSS.

910 S. 17th St.

8 years old.

(You could have written a little something on the subject couldn't you Mabel?)

Dear Miss Burton:

I read in the Tribune paper about the girls that were joining the sunshine club and I would like very much to become a member of the club.

I think "sunshine" is a very nice name for the club.

I am eight years old. I am in the 3A grade. My teacher's name is Miss Corcoran. I would like to be on the "blue" side.

Your Sunshiner,

STELLA SCHOLBERG.

1116 Berlin St.

(We are glad for you for a member, Stella, and you will try and write on the subject next time, won't you?)

Dear Miss Burton:

I have already written a story entitled "The Return From Mexico," would like very much to send it in. If I may send it this week, I will write on the subject that is required next week. I would enjoy belonging to the "blues" as so many of my friends have. And I think that it would be a very nice society for all the girls to belong to.

Yours sincerely,

VADE FAVOR.

(I am going to give you the subject of "A Pleasant Journey" and then you may send your story.)

Dear Miss Burton:

I will write a story as I did not write last week. I made this story up, and I do not know whether it will be very good or not. Once upon a time there was a little girl whose name was Grace. Her father was dead and as her mother was not able to take in washing, she did sewing for others; Grace did all the housework. One day Grace was going home with some sewing, and as she turned the corner she saw a lame lady who could not get across the street for fear she would be run over. I will help her across the street, said Grace. "Oh, if you would, I would be very glad."

Grace helped the lady across the street and saw that she did not get hurt. When they got across, the lady said: "What is your name?" My name is Grace, said Grace. Where are your father and mother?" the lady asked. Grace told her that her father was dead. When Grace told her the story of her life, the lady said she was looking for those very people.

It was Grace's grandmother and she was very rich and lived in Paris. She took Grace and her mother home to live with her and they did not have to worry any more.

Your Sunshiner,

GERTRUDE GUNDERSON.

(A good story, but you did not write on the subject I told you to.)

My Dear Miss Burton:

I have read several letters from other little boys in the Junior page, so I thought I would write too. I

am six years old and I go to school every day. We did not have school last week because our teacher was sick. I was sick too, but I am alright now. Will close my letter.

From your friend,

PALMER EIDE.

Chaseburg, Wis.

My Dear Miss Burton:

I will write again. I wrote a letter last week, but I did not have time to send it. I want to be on the "Reds." I am in the first grade. We have fun at school in the summer. I have six brothers and no sisters. I like to go to school. I will close my letter.

From your friend,

IRENE EIDE.

Chaseburg, Wis.

(We are glad to hear from you and your brother anyway, Irene, but don't you think you could write a little on the subject that is given. Try next week, won't you?)

THE MINISTER'S CAT.

(A True Story for the Juniors.)

It's a pretty big story but it's true, and the minister will tell you so. It is about Deborah, the minister's cat.

She was a fine large tabby, with three white stockings, two green eyes and a wise old head. Once upon a time Deborah had six little blind kittens and they and their mother lay fast asleep in a round basket behind the stove in the minister's study. Deborah was sleeping so hard that when Mr. Neal, the milkman, came into the room, she only pricked up her left ear and then went on snoring. She did not know that Mr. Neal had come to borrow her to kill off the rats in his house. Indeed she did not know that he had any house or any rats either.

But Mr. Neal knew all about Deborah. He had not for years sold milk at the parsonage without hearing what a famous mouser she was; and he now said to the minister: "Good evening, Mr. Fenn, I've called this morn'g to ask you if you'll be kind enough to lend us your cat."

"Certainly," answered the minister laying aside his pen; "only you will have to take her family too."

"Of course," said Mr. Neal; "and I'm glad that she has the kittens; they will keep her happy."

Mr. Neal brought a great, strong bag and by the help of the minister he put Deborah into it—basket, kittens and all. She tried her best to get out, but Mr. Neal tied up the bag and held it firmly while he walked to the wagon.

There he dropped the bag into a box that stood under the seat and fastened down the cover. Then he drove away.

"Poor Deborah can't see where she is going any more than her blind kittens can," thought the minister with a little smile as he turned from the window. "I hope she won't be homesick for I am sure she never could find her way home. Why the ground is really getting white with snow."

Presently he sat down to his sermon, and he wrote till he wrote till everybody else in the house was fast asleep. All at once he was startled by a sound from the porch.

It was the meowing of a cat. He threw open the door and in ran Deborah carrying in her mouth a kitten.

"Why, dear me, Deborah, can this be you?" he cried in great surprise. She dropped the kitten on the rug at his feet and ran out before he could close the door. He put the little wet, cold kitty on the warm cushion and went to bed; but he was awakened from his first nap by another meowing on the porch. Deborah had come with her second kitten.

An hour or two later she came with the third, and by the next noon she had taken them all home—six of them. Soon Mr. Neal followed bringing the empty basket.

"I thought I must return it quickly, or Deborah would come for it," he said laughing. "You may tell her that I've bought a rat trap, and I'll never disturb her again. A puss that will travel eleven miles in the snow for the sake of getting her family back to its old corner, deserves to live in peace."

Now, isn't this a pretty big story? I shouldn't have dared to repeat it if the minister hadn't told it to me himself.

PENN SHIRLEY.

My Dear Miss Burton:

I did not write last week for we did not get Saturday's paper with The Tribune page in so I did not know what our topic was.

As you wished us to write about our dear old homes, I will try to do so, but having lived in several places can only say a few words about each one.

I first lived in Wabasha, Minn., and when I was about three years of age we moved to Plainview. I do not remember much of my homes in Wabasha for I was so little then.

When we came to Plainview we moved into a large house. The barn on these premises was very spacious and many a happy day did I spend climbing little haylofts. I had my own little pail and every night would go down to the barn and have my pail filled with milk.

Surrounding the house was a beautiful lawn where we children spent many pleasant hours.

The next home I lived in was a brown cottage. The sitting room was quite nobby, for it had nine doors

leading from it. We had some grad old apple trees there.

We are now living in a fine cottage which is painted white.

There are five rooms on the first floor and four on the second.

Your loving Junior,

FRANCES LYONS.

Plainview, Minn.

(This is an interesting letter and on the subject, too.)

Dear Miss Burton:

My home is a farm over here in Pine Creek. The house is situated on a pretty green knoll; there is a nice large front yard facing the west.

Near the back porch is a nice elm tree with a grape vine growing over it, where on a warm day in summer I like to sit and read.

A little ways down from the tree is a nice spring of clear cold water, where we like to play in the sand and wade in the water on hot days in summer.

Just above the spring is a pretty woods and orchard, where we pick wild flowers and ferns. I like this the best of my home because every summer morning as soon as I awake I can hear the water gurgling in the spring and smell the chokecherry blossoms and hear such pretty birds singing from my bedroom window.

In the evening we can walk out the road a little past the barn and see the electric lights at La Crosse, although we live five miles straight west from La Crosse. We have a telephone and have mail delivery every day.

I think I like my own home better than any place I know of.

Your loving Junior,

MARGARET FARRELL.

Age 10 years.

(Isn't this an interesting letter, Juniors?)

Kind Miss Burton:

As I have not written for two weeks I will write this week. As I saw the topic is about "Dear Old Homes," I thought I would write.

I only remember about one place where I used to live before. Everytime I go past there it seems to me like my real home. That is near the river and we used to go out quite often for a boat ride. I used to enjoy that so much. Well, I don't know any more to write about my old home.

If I get old I suppose I could tell more about it because I would have more experience. I will close for this time for fear I will take all the room.

Your loving sunshiner,

ESTHER NOEM.

211 Charles St.

Age 10 years.

P. S.—I will try to be a sunshiner and do a kind action every day.

(A nice little letter.)

Kind Miss Burton:

I didn't write last week because I didn't feel well, and am not yet. I will write about the topic you gave us, "Dear Old Homes that I Have Lived In."

I was born in Westboro, Taylor county, Wis. As I only lived there about a year I don't remember it.

Then we moved to La Crosse in a little house under the trees. The yard was full of sand-burs and glass so I couldn't go in the yard. Papa got a big box and put it out doors and let me play out doors in that.

Papa cleaned up the yard and planted grass seed so that by next summer we had grass to play on.

There was a railing around the porch and a large tree for a roof. After we got larger we used to play out there when the days were nice.

Sometimes at noon a little neighbor girl would come over. We would have dinner on the grass at the west of the house.

Mamma had a pair of roller skates. We used to go upstairs in the store room, the floor was bare, and try to skate. Once a little girl came over and just as we got through trying to skate, and were going down stairs my sister fell and rolled over and over all the way down. It didn't hurt her much, but it made her cry.

There are a lot of nice things to tell about but guess I told about enough to give you some idea about my home under the trees or my first home in La Crosse.

Yours truly,

EDNA JAMES.

Age 12 years.

P. S.—I should think Eva Swartz would like to go to school, because our teacher says that is the only thing we can get without paying for.

(I think my Juniors all have pretty nice homes.)

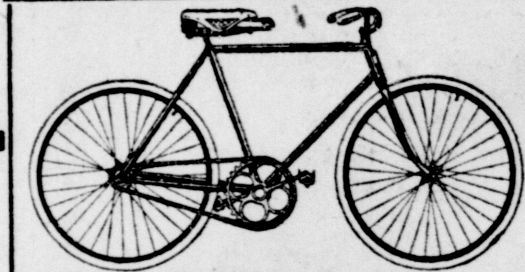
Dear Miss Burton:

I did not write last time for I had to help my grandma, so I will write this time. You told us to write about "The Dear Old Home."

When we lived up to Westboro we lived on a farm. There were some nice red clovers and nice grass in the front of the house, and there was a nice big field on one side. There was a wooden fence around the field. There was a place where the pigs strayed. It was right next to the field where the cows stayed. One day my sister and I were chasing the pigs around a big haystack in the middle of the pen. The pig went to go into the field when the cow on the other side came up and bunted him up in the air. When my mother went to go and get the pig she could hardly catch him. As soon as she would get him and try to get him in the barn he would skin out of her hands. At last she got him in. At another time I was going through the field I thought that the cows were coming after me so my sister and I hurried to get over the fence, and I fell over into the road. By the time I had got up my sister was clear down the road. We went to President McKinley's memorial service. When we came back we were just eating our dinner when some

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one came and rapped on the window and said the house was on fire. After the fire was out there was just the floor and some boards sticking up on some of the sides. This is all I will write now for fear it will take up too much room in the paper This is a true story.

From your friend,

FLORENCE JAMES.

Age 10 years.

1217 Charles St.

(You certainly did have some experiences, Frances.)

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Dear Miss Burton:

Since I have joined the Sunshine club I thought I would write on this week's subject, "Dear Old Home."

Since I always lived in one home I intend to describe it and tell what I like best about it. It is a two story house. The lower story consists of parlor, bed-room, sitting-room, dining room, kitchen and pantry. The things I like about my home, is my father and mother, also my sisters and brothers. For home would be nothing without the dear ones here. All that is lacking about my home is that I have no piano, and I hope in a little while I may have one. I will draw my letter to a close. I remain,

Your loving junior,

BLANCHE ASSELIN.

1521 Kane St.

Age 12 years

(Very good Blanche.)

Dear Miss Burton:

Our paper came so late this week that I don't know if I will get my letter in this week or not, as our topic is "Dear Old Homes." I will write about mine. I have five brothers and three sisters. All of my sisters are married, and two of my brothers, and as I am the youngest of the family, I find it rather busy sometimes. But I always try to get time to go to school. My mother is sick most of the time and unable to do the work. I can bake good cake and bread, but I have not learned to make pies yet. Now I am trying to make my own everyday clothes. But my mother teaches me how to put them together. I have three nice white kittens. They are as white as snow. One of them is named Dobby. He has one blue eye and one pink eye. It is fun to see them all play together, for they are real smart and playful. Of course we have all kinds of chickens, horses, sows, hogs, dogs, such as all farmers have, but it takes so long to write about I think my letter is long enough, so I will close with regards to all the Juniors.

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IN THE CHURCHES

First German Baptist
First German Baptist, Seventh and Milwaukee. Rev. S. A. Koss, from Milwaukee, former pastor of this church, will be in La Crosse on Wednesday morning to go to Mound Prairie to hold meetings the rest of the week and will preach Sunday night, March 22, in La Crosse, and intends to preach every night that week.

Westminster Presbyterian
Westminster Presbyterian church, Redfield street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets. Rev. D. H. Rohrbach, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Music by the choir. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Walter Harrington, superintendent. C. E. at 7 p. m., topic "The Wise Use of Money," leader, Mr. Harrington.

The session will meet on Monday night at the church.

First Baptist
First Baptist church, Sixth street, between Main and King streets. Rev. J. Wellington Hoag, pastor. Morning worship at 10:30; bible school at 11:45; Colton Branch at 3 p. m.; Young People's service at 7:15 p. m.; rehearsal of chorus at 7:15 p. m.; evening praise and preaching service at 7:30. The pastor will preach both morning and evening. Morning theme, "The Perennial Revival," evening theme, "The Church's Sure Foundation." There will be the reception of members by baptism at close of Sunday school and also at close of evening preaching service. The music for the evening meeting will be the opening song service led by the large chorus choir. A special musical selection by the chorus and a solo by Mr. Martin M. Risberg. Everybody invited.

First Methodist
First Methodist Episcopal church, Eighth and King streets. Rev. James W. Irish, pastor. Class meeting at 9:30 a. m.; morning worship at 10:30; sermon subject, "Signs of Christian Growth." Sunday school at noon. Junior Epworth league at 3 p. m. Epworth league at 6:30. Leader, Mrs. J. G. Elston. Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon subject, "Mothers," being the first in a series of sermons to women.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening; topic, Ninth Methodist Doctrine; I believe that all may love God with all their heart and their neighbor as themselves.

People's Sunday School
People's Sunday school meets in Travelers' hall, Linker building, corner of Fourth and Main streets. Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Program of the usual marches and physical culture. Subject of adult class, "The Wages of Sin." Young people's class, "What Course Is But to Attain Knowledge." Kindergarten class, Moral Stories. Everybody welcome.

St. Paul's Universalist
St. Paul's Universalist church, at Eighth and Cass streets. Rev. John Smith Loew, pastor. Regular preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at noon. Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6:30 p. m. Theme of the morning sermon, "A Search for God." Evening theme, "God and Victory."

First Congregational
First Congregational church, Main and Seventh streets. Henry Faville, pastor.

Episcopal Church
Christ church, Ninth and Main streets, (Episcopal). Rev. C. N. Moller, rector. Organist, Mr. Urquhart. Cawley, B. A. Services for second Sunday in Lent: 8 a. m., holy communion; 9:30, Sunday school; 10:45, morning service; Benediction, Brewer in G.; Benediction, Garrett in E flat. 7:30 p. m., evening service; Nunc Dimittis, Bunnell in A; anthem, "Lord, for Thy Tender Mercies," Farrar.

Emanuel Evangelical Association
Emanuel church of the Evangelical association, 123 Vine street. H. Etzelmueller, pastor. Sunday school 9:15 a. m.; service at 10:30 a. m.; evening service at 7:30; Young People's meeting 6:45 p. m. Choir rehearsal Friday evening. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening in the residence of Mrs. P. Wagner.

Christian Science
First Church of Christ, Scientist, King street, between Fifth and Sixth streets. Services at 10:30 a. m.; subject, "Substance." Wednesday meeting at 7:45 p. m. Reading room open daily, except Sundays, from 2 to 5 p. m. in the church.

West Avenue M. E.
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Chicago Delivery.
Open. High. Low. Close.

WHEAT.
May 94% 96% 94% 96%
July 89% 92% 89% 92%
CORN.
May 65% 66% 65% 66%
July 62% 62% 62% 62%
OATS.
May 54% 54% 45 54%
July 45% 48 45% 47%
PORK.
May 12.10 12.35 12.10 12.30

Minneapolis Delivery.
WHEAT.
May 105% 107 105% 107
July 103% 105% 103% 105%
Hog Close—Estimated receipts today, 18,000. Strong at early prices. Estimated Monday, 45,000. Cattle, 300 unchanged. Sheep, 3,000; strong.

GOSSIP OF THE PIT.
Liverpool Closing: Wheat, 1/4 to 1/4 higher; corn, 1/4 higher.

Hogs Opening—Estimated receipts 17,000; left over, 4,695; prospects, steady to strong.
Cattle—300; steady.
Sheep—3,000; steady.

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18 inch embroidery flouncing in a very choice line of patterns . . . **59c**

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Cream wool suits will be as popular as ever this season and no wardrobe is complete without one. We are showing all the new weaves and weights, per yd from 50c up to . . . **\$2.25**

54 inch panama in 3 different shades of grey, special low priced per yard . . . **\$1.00**

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We are showing a very large line of plain and embroidered black voiles, per yard at \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and . . . **\$3.00**

Black San Toy cloth, medium weight, silk lustre and very serviceable, per yard at . . . **\$1.50**

Black wool taffeta, a material that looks and wears well, specially low priced per yard at \$1.25 and . . . **\$1.50**

Checked and striped batiste, a very soft and pretty material, per yard . . . **\$1.25**

SILKS

Natural shade pongee in plain and with large brown, blue and red coin dots, per yard at \$1.00, \$1.19 and . . . **\$1.25**

A large line of silk and satin foulards in brown, mauve, Copenhagen, navy, tan, gray and green in dress pattern lengths, per yard at . . . **\$1.00**

Brown and navy blue Louisine silks with hair line stripe of white to form check, regular \$1.00 value, at per yard . . . **89c**

We are showing an exclusive line of choice silks in dress pattern lengths, per yard at \$1.00 and . . . **\$1.25**

LACES

A large line of linen torchon laces values up to 10c, your choice per yard . . . **5c**

WASH GOODS

French organdies in beautiful floral patterns, per yard at . . . **18c**

French gingham, Egyptian tissues, organdies and silk tissues, per yard at . . . **25c**

White ground dotted swiss with pink, blue and yellow floral designs, special price per yard at . . . **39c**

We are showing a large variety of silk tissues in coin dots, satin striped plaids and satin striped with floral patterns, special per yard at . . . **50c**

WHITE GOODS

Barred swiss in all the different size checks and lace stripes, per yard . . . **25c**

Embroidered swiss in barred and figured, per yard at . . . **39c**

A choice line of St. Gaul embroidered swiss, per yard at 50c, 65c, 75c and . . . **85c**

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A new lot of the season's newest designs and cleverest creations has just arrived and now on display. All the newest materials are represented in a wide selection. They are simply charming styles and the best values we have yet offered.

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An immense showing of the season's choicest petticoats in all grades. The choosing is so broad that every desire in the line may be fulfilled with complete satisfaction. Prices are pleasingly low.

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Most prominent in the showing of petticoats is the celebrated "Heather-bloom." A complete range of colors and styles, and here you'll find the prices as low, if not lower, than elsewhere.

SOCIETY NEWS

(By Bertha Kerr.)

REV. ETZELMUELLER TO WED

The engagement of Rev. H. Etzelmueller, pastor of the Emanuel church of the Evangelical association, corner Twelfth and Vine streets, and Miss Johanna Weina Briese-meister of Tomah, is announced, the wedding to take place in the near future.

Rev. Etzelmueller came to La Crosse in May, 1907, from a charge in the eastern part of the state, and during his stay of less than a year in La Crosse has popularized and built up his church in a manner gratifying to his parishioners.

Miss Briese-meister is a teacher in the public schools of Tomah, where she is prominent in church society and an earnest worker in the evangelical congregation. She is a musician of talent, officiating as organist in the church there. She is a graduate of the Tomah high school.

A pleasing romance of summer, culminating in a winter engagement, lies in the love story of the couple. They first met in a quarterly meeting, where the earnest appeal of the grave pastor who presided appealed to the religiously inclined girl. Fate and possibly design conspired to throw them often together. There came an invitation for him to lead revival meetings at Tomah, and while she played the organ with deep feeling, he led the chorus with the fervor of his faith. Rev. Etzelmueller proved no laggard in love, and so well did he progress while the summer and autumn slipped away that, on the last day of the departing year their engagement was consummated in the hallowed presence of a Christmas tree with which the yuletide festival had been celebrated in Miss Briese-meister's home.

EVANGELICAL BAZAAR

The last business meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Emanuel church of the Evangelical association, Twelfth and Vine Sts., was held at the residence of Mrs. A. Schafer. It was decided to have a bazaar at the home of Mrs. P. Wagner. The exact date will be announced later. For several weeks the ladies of the society and church have been diligently working and planning to make the bazaar a success.

TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB

The Twentieth Century club met with Mrs. Geo. P. Bradish, 717 Cass street, last Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Louis Hirschheimer led the lesson, assisted by Mrs. Tarbox and Mrs. Herman Wolf. An interesting book review on Victor Hugo's Les Misérables was given by Mrs. Bunting. The next meeting which will be March 24,

will be with Mrs. Paul Pamperin, 130 South Ninth street.

ST. PATRICK'S AFFAIRS

The Pastor's Class of the First M. E. church will have a St. Patrick's social in the parlors of the church on Tuesday evening. A good deal of interest centers in this date for the class, for it is Mr. Irish's birthday, and taking everything into consideration, it will likely prove quite an "Irish" affair.

The ladies of St. Paul's league of the First Universalist church, invite their friends to a St. Patrick's party, which will be held in the church parlors on Tuesday evening. An interesting feature of the affair is that it is to be a costume party, and every one is requested to come gowned and habited as become St. Patrick. A touch of green at least must be seen on every person or they are liable to be fined. A prize will be awarded to the individual wearing the best and most striking costume. Light refreshments will be served and a good time is anticipated.

SURPRISE PARTY ON MRS. T. P. BENTON GREAT SUCCESS

One of the pleasantest surprise parties of the season was held on Mrs. T. P. Benton at her residence, 218 South Sixth street, last Tuesday evening, when fifty friends swooped down on her unexpectedly and spent a jolly evening. At 8 o'clock, the front door bell rang, and as that was being answered, the guests were flocking in at the rear doors, filling up the rooms, and giving Mrs. Benton the surprise of her life. The visitors were mostly ladies and gentlemen of the Universalist church, and a general jolly time was had during the evening. The guests all came provided with good things to eat and a bountiful supper was served at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Benton was presented with a beautiful cut glass vase as a token of the guests' friendship and esteem.

The Linda club of the First Baptist church will have a St. Patrick's social in the church parlors Tuesday evening. Various games will enliven the evening, besides which a good program will be rendered and refreshments will be served. The following young people will have charge of the arrangements: Miss Cassie Mahlum, chairman, assisted by Misses Ethel Scoville, Hazel Pomerooy, Vera Beardsley and Flora Peterson.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Woman's union of the Congre-

gational church will have a supper in the church parlors next Thursday. All the ladies of the church and congregation are invited for a social time in the afternoon, and supper will be served at six. The following ladies are the hostesses: Mesdames J. I. Lamb, A. N. Watson and George H. Ray.

Mrs. Bangsberg's circle of the First M. E. church will have a picnic supper in the church parlors on Monday evening.

The Ladies' Aid society of the English Lutheran church will meet next Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Ketchel will serve.

The Ladies' Aid society of the West Avenue Methodist Episcopal church will give their monthly supper in the lecture room, Thursday next, from 5 to 8 p. m.

Miss Anna Pamperin will entertain the Embroidery club on Wednesday afternoon at her residence, 515 South Fifth street.

The Central W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. R. A. Jackson, 1334 State street, on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. An election of officers will take place, all members are requested to be present.

Next Thursday afternoon the ladies of St. Paul's league and the ladies' circle of the Universalist church are asked to meet at the church for the purpose of making decorations for the church at Easter time.

The Ladies' Industrial society of the First Baptist church will be entertained by Mrs. E. W. Parker and Mrs. George Barrett, on Thursday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Barrett, 616 State street.

MOVING PICTURE ENTERTAINMENT

An interesting event in church circles this week, will be the moving picture entertainment which will be held in the First M. E. church parlors under the auspices of the Standard Bearers, the young people's missionary society of the church. These pictures have been secured for the last three nights of the week, Thursday, Friday and Saturday and are looked forward to as a rare treat by all. They include subjects of scenery, magic, travel, comedy and tragedy and 12,000 feet of films are shown.

PICNIC SUPPER.

The Ladies' circle of the Universalist church held a business meeting in the parlors of the church yesterday afternoon, after which they were joined by their husbands and a picnic supper was partaken of at six o'clock. About fifty were present.

W. F. M. S. HAVE SUCCESSFUL TEA

The W. F. M. S. of the First M. E. church enjoyed a literary and musical program of merit yesterday afternoon at the parlors of the church, after which nearly 100 people were served with supper. It was a social

thankoffering meeting of the society and was very successful.

MRS. LAVAKE ENTERTAINS.

A series of informal afternoons have been given by Mrs. T. A. Lavake this week, which have been much enjoyed. Social chat has enlivened the different occasions, the guests have brought their work and the afternoons have been productive of much pleasant informality. Dainty refreshments have been the culminating pleasure of each afternoon. In the center of the table a beautiful basket of pink carnations and hyacinths daintily intermingled with southern smilax and galax leaves has given a pretty touch of color to the arrangements.

The guests on Tuesday were: Mesdames A. W. Schall, James W. Irish, Elizabeth Irish, Mills, W. H. Vance, B. F. Keeler, Ford, R. H. Hoefle, Lowery, Wayne Bentley and Irving Ruggles. On Wednesday the following were present: Mesdames E. R. Burke, Dan McMillan, E. M. Wing, C. W. Noble, W. B. Tscharnier, E. J. Evans, L. P. Benetz, J. A. Bayer, F. C. Suiter, Boyd, Robbins and Boyington. On Thursday afternoon Miss Helen Lavake was the hostess and the guests were among the younger people. Those present were: Misses Elizabeth Taylor, Lillian Dudley, Backus, Miriam Harrison, Sadie McCann, Edna Valler, Martha Rollins, Doherty, Benzel, Hekteen, Livingston, Agnes Nelson, Nora Nelson, Helen Vance, Ruth Vance and Mabel Bryant. On Friday the following guests were entertained: Mesdames Van Auker, Ferris, McGregor, M. Wing, George Ray, Eaton, Shadbolt, Ellsworth, Bryant, Hyslop, Tarbox, and Donaldson; and on Saturday the final afternoon, the guests were: Mesdames N. D. Allen, Tenney, E. R. Savage, Sorenson, Will Smith, Frank Davis, Fowler, J. E. Wilson, George Powell, Will Powell, Bert Smith, Dudley, Cronk, and Wilcox. Among the out of town guests were: Mesdames Bert Smith, Cronk, Wilcox, Dudley and Miss McGregor.

FOR OUT OF TOWN GUESTS

Mrs. Irene Gardner of 1509 Prospect street entertained a party of 10 Wednesday evening in honor of Mr. Joseph Carr of Biwabik, Minn. A very elaborate dinner was served at 10 o'clock. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kisselbach, P. J. Larkin, Will Shafer, Charles Brjstow, Mr. Carr and Mrs. Gardner. The same party were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Larkin Monday evening and at the home Mr. and Mrs. Shafer last Friday evening. Mr. Carr has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bristow, but left for St. Louis today.

Y. W. C. E. NOTES

The girls of the Home club at the Y. W. C. E. had a taffy pull at the Association Thursday evening, at the end of which games and various

stunts were played. The evening was in charge of Miss Van Loon, Miss Nelson and Miss Marie Erickson.

The gymnasium classes are increasing.

Light Bible class, Memory Bible Monday evening, 7:30—Beason class, Cooking class.

Tuesday evening, 7:30—Glee club, 8:00 gymnasium.

A service in the interest of young women will be held in the Methodist church March 29th, at 7:30 p. m. All are invited, especially the young women.

The annual meeting of the association occurs April 3rd. Various stunts, songs, etc., are being planned and every member is expected to be present.

SOCIAL BREVITIES

Mrs. W. R. Renkin, 332 Cass, returned Thursday from a three weeks' visit with her father in Duluth.

Mr. Guy Robertson of Lansing, Ia., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hoefle, 1314 Vine street, for a short time this week.

Miss Josie Moulding of Chicago is the guest of Miss Jessie Emerson, 1403 State street.

Mrs. C. J. Ross and son, Master Maximilian, have returned from Chicago, where they went to attend the wedding of Miss Kuehl and Mr. F. A. Gantert. Mrs. Ross' brother, Master Maximilian acted as flower boy. On their way home they stopped off for a brief stay with friends at Milwaukee.

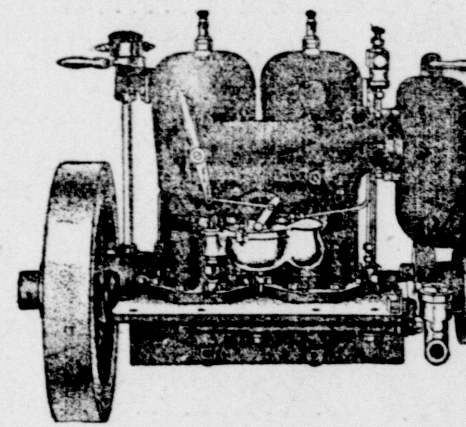
Martin M. Risberg, formerly of La Crosse, but now traveling for a Chicago wholesale house, is spending a few days visiting friends in the city. He has lately returned from a very successful business trip to British Columbia while in the city Sunday Mr. Risberg will occupy his former position as singer in the First Baptist church choir. At the morning service he will sing as a solo, "Like as a Heart Desireth," and in the evening he will assist the chorus choir, singing as a solo, "The Lord is My Light."

When a fellow is arrested for being drunk and disorderly he should give his full name.

BETTER THAN SPANKING

Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W. Notre Dame, Ind. will send free to any mother her successful treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her today if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

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